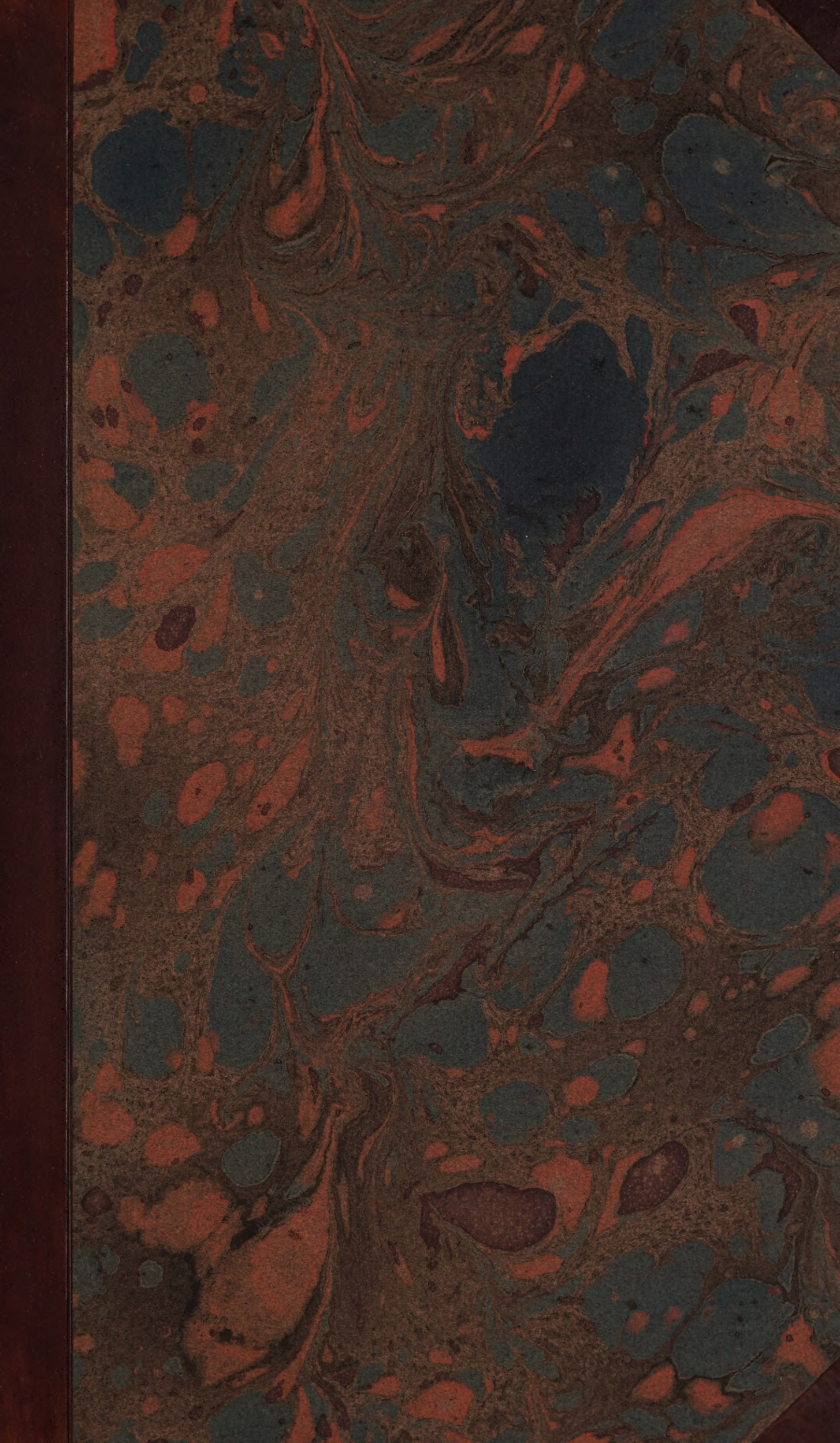




A Journal of a Voyage
on board the Ship Maria
From Nantucket round Cape Horn
By George Washington Gardner.

young Love

When he once gets his nose in,
Head and shoulders he goes in,
His dart he soon throws in,
Slap bang to your heart,
And there still increasing,
With torment unceasing,
Depletes and vexes,
And smiles at the smart.

Dead Geo. W. Gardner. Master
Dead Ben^d F. Ray 1st Mate
Dead Edward T. Ray 2^d Mate
Dead Eliza Jane 3^d Mate
Dead John P. Worth
Thomas. A. Gardner } Boat
Geo. W. Gardner Jr. } Steers
Dead Charles. Morton
Dead Geo. L. Thatcher
Dead Geo. C. Sheffield
Dead Manuel De Sosa
Dead Henry W. Davis
Dead Thomas P. Folger
Dead William H. Gardner
Dead Edwin Coffin
Dead Warren Hedges
Dead Perry May. (Stewart)
Dead John. Mac Donough. Cook
Dead Coultres Mun } Charles Grass
Dead } Antony Henderson
Dead John Davis
Dead Frederick Gardner. (Lost)

Edw. Russell
Watson.



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Sunday Light wind SW at 8 A.M. weigh and sail
July 17 from Nantucket bar at 10 Calm Com to anchor
off the Point Rip the light S by W 2 miles
the Washington in company

Monday Light airs at South and at 2 P.M. SW weighed
July 18 and sail Stead out Ship Chancell. way at 5
P.M. Deepen the water to 15 fathoms Stead
E by S S Strong wind SW Latter part on bent
the cables and stow the Anchors - Stead E S E
Lat - 40-39 - Long - 67-50
from which I take my departure

Tues. Light wind WNW Stead E by S at 9 P.M. spoke
July 19 Ship Peruvian de Forrest from Belfast to N.Y.
Light wind at N.W. and clear except fitting the boats
Stead E by S Lat 40-28 - Long - 65 - P. Lunar

Wedn. Light airs and calm at 6 P.M. small wind at E N E - Stead
July 20 to the S.E. - Latter part wind South Stead to the E S E - empty
fitting the whaling gear Lat 40-11 Long - 63 - P. Lunar

Thurs. Light wind at SW and West - Stead E by S - all the sails on
July 21 at 6 Brisk wind and she got fast - Latter part Strong wind
and Ruzed Stead East - Lat 40-14 Long - 59-10

Friday Brisk wind at W by S - Stead East all sail on and she got fast
July 22 at 10 P.M. Squally and Ruzed in all to close except topsails
and took in the waist boat - hard squalls and much rain
Latter part Moderated soon set sail accordingly -
No Obs - Lat - 40-10 Long - 54-20

Sat. Moderate wind at West and much rain Stead East
July 23 Latter part wind N E and East - Saw a Brig to
the Northward bound to the East - Lat - 40-35
Long P. Lunar 52-45

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- Sunday
July 24 Strong wind at East - at 2 PM stood to the NNE
at 6 PM double reefed the topsails Latter part
thick and cloudy and cold Lat-42-06 - Long-52-
- Monday
July 25 Strong wind at ESE - and cloudy stood to the SW at 6
PM wind died some at 10 wind South stood to the
East Latter part Moderate wind and hazy
Lat 41-56 - Long- 50-35
- Tuesday
July 26 Brisk wind South Stead by the wind to the ESE -
Saw many Grampuses - at 7 saw a brig standing
to the West - Latter part strong wind SW Stead
SE by E Lat 41-38 Long 47-10-
- Wedn^d
July 27 Strong wind and hazy Stead SE - Saw nothing Latter part
Moderate wind WSW and clear Stead SE by E - Lat-40-22
Long 44 - West
- Thurs^d
July 28 Moderate wind SW by W and West - Stead SE by E & E
Saw a Brig Stead to the East Latter part Light wind
and Calm with spit rain Lat-40-5 - Long-41-53-
- Friday
July 29 Calm and cloudy Saw nothing employ^d about the rigging
at daylight light wind at SW and clear - Stead SE by E -
Lat-40-8 - Long- 41-
- Sat^d
July 30 Light wind and fair weather at 6 PM saw a lone Whale
and killed him, and at 8 took him along side, Latter
part got ready and began cutting - (a tough head -
No Obs - Lat 40-00 Long 40-50
- Sunday
July 31 Brisk wind SW and West - Finnish Cutting and
employ^d trying stood to the Southward Short sail
Latter part Calm and a high swell Employ^d trying
No Obs - Lat-39-50 - Long 40-40
- Monday
August 1 Calm and very warm at 6 PM Light wind ENE
stood to the SE - employ^d trying Latter part rain
and squally at Mr. Cleardoff employ^d trying
stood to the Southward Lat 39 - Long- 40-10

Bound to the Western Islands-

- Tuesday Light wind at SW stood to the ESE. empty. trying
 Aug. 2 Saw a Brig steering to the East - at 4 PM finished
 trying Calm and very warm Lat. 38-28 Long. 40
- Wednes Calm stood down the Oil between decks in hopes of an
 Aug 3 opportunity to ship it home, Latter part Calm and warm
 Saw a Brig steering to the Eastward Lat. 38-30
 Long. 39-40
- Thurs Calm and clear with a high swell from the West
 Aug 4 at Midnight light wind SW Latter part saw a lone whale
 and Chas. till 12 M^o but he was so wet that he did not strike
 Lat. 38-32 Lunar 39-14
- Friday Light wind NW and North steered by the wind to the East
 Aug 5 Latter part Calm and light wind saw nothing
 Lat 39-7 Lunar 38-10
- Sat Light wind NNE and hazy steered by the wind to the East
 Aug 6 Latter part Calm and light wind NE saw Grampus
 Lat 39-1 Long. 37-
- Sunday Light wind at NE and ENE - at 4 stood to the North
 Aug 7 Latter part light airs and Calm saw a Brig astern
 Lat 39-39 Long. 36-30
- Monday Light wind and Calm saw nothing - and Calm all the
 Aug 8 time - Latter part light wind at SE. Drizzled out the
 flying jibboom squally with rain. No Obs. Lat 39-
 Lunar 36-8
- Tues Light airs and clear steered by the wind. ENE
 Aug 9 Latter part light wind and clear steered by the wind
 Lat 40-26 Lunar 35-15
- Wedn Light airs and Cloudy at 8 PM stood to the SSW squally
 Aug 10 Latter part Calm Lat 40-30 Lunar 35-10
- Thurs Calm Calm Calm Latter part light airs ENE
 Aug 11 and ESE stood to the South Lat. 39-40
 Long. 34-00

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Friday Aug 12 Light airs and Clear saw a Brig Standing to the N.E. Latter part Stood to the N.E. at Mr^e saw the Island of Flores by S 20 leagues Lat 39-14

Saturday Aug 13 Light wind and Clear Stood to the N.E. at 7 Flores S.E. and Corvo E.S.E. 15 leagues Latter part. Light airs and Calm we plying to windward between the Islands of Corvo and Flores at Mrd they bore N.E. and S.E.

Sunday Aug 14 Light Airs at S.E. - still plying to the windward Latter part Stood In of Sta Cruz Landing and sent in a boat and Commenced trading for potatoes at Mr^e Got off once Load and went in again for more

Monday Aug 15 Small wind S.W. Stood off and In off Sta Cruz Landing (the N.E. part of Flores) and got off the other boat load - Stood off and In Latter part Light airs S.E. got off Two boat load more of potatoes and some hags -

Tuesday Aug 16 Light Airs and Calm the East part of Flores W.S.W. 2 leagues distant, Stood off to the E.N.E. - at 12 Midnight Stood to the S.W. Latter part Squally Flores bore N.N.W. 10 leagues at 10 A.M. Lat-38-47 Long. 31-15

Wednesday Aug 17 Brisk wind at S.S.E. - Steard by the wind S.W. Latter part Squally double reefed the topsails - Lat-37-14 Lunar 32-18

Thursday Aug 18 Strong wind S.S.E. - and squally Steard to the S.W. Latter part Wind died some but still S.S.E. -

Lat 36. Lunar 33-10

From the Western Islands outward bound

Friday Brisk wind S E - and flying clouds steard by the
Aug 19 wind to the SW. Latter part Light wind and
fair weather Lat 34-31 Lunar 33-40 -

Sat Light wind at S E - Spoke Brig Washington
Aug 20 of Halowell Capt Colburn. 11 days from Cadix
for New York had the small pox on board put some
Letters and Meadison to the end of a pole and put it
on board from the boat to windward -
Steard by the wind to the SW by S - Latter part wind
E S E Steard South Lat 33-9 - Long 30 Lunar 34

Sund Light wind E by S steard S by E - fair weather -
Aug 21 Latter part wind at East Steard S by E & E -
Lat 31-40 - Lunar 32-14

Mon Light wind East and flying clouds - Steard E S E
Aug 22 Latter part very light wind N E and Calm -
Lat 30 - Long 31-50

Tuesday Light N E and North Steard S E - all the sails on
Aug 23 Latter part wind SW and cloudy Lat 28-40 - 30-40

Wedn Light wind SW Steard S E - Saw Nothing like we had
Aug 24 and wind very like we go but slow - Latter part
Calm and a high swell from the N E. Lat 27-
Long 30-20

Thurs Calm and cloudy and ice tumble about badly Latte
Aug 25 part Still Calm and cloudy Lat 27-45 - Long 30

Friday Calm Calm and cloudy at 8 Brisk wind at E by
Aug 26 Steard by the wind to the Southward Lat 25-30
Lunar 28-40 -

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- Sat^d Brisk wind at East Steard by the wind SSE —
Aug 27 all sail on and she go^d fast. Latter part Strong
trades and a sharp Sea from the SE Lat- 23-50
Long 27-45
- Sunday Strong trades and ruzed Steard by the wind SSE —
Aug 28 Latter part Strong trades and Ruzed Lat 21-45
Long- 25-42
- Monday Strong trades and Ruzed Steard SSE- in light sails
Aug 29 Latter part Strong trades and hazy Smokey - Lat 19-18
Long 24-58
- Tues^d Moderate trades and Smokey Steard SSE- saw nothing
Aug 30 Latter part Saw land we call^d the NE part of St
Anthony Steard by the wind SE by E- thick and
hazy at 10 the ^{land} out of sight SW by W 15 leagues
Lat. 17-24
- Wedⁿ Strong trades and hazy Steard SE by E by the wind at
Aug 31 night in light sails and fur^d the mainsail - at 11
Stood to the Northward at 2 PM Stood to the SSE- at daylight
Stood Isle of Salt and steard to the SSE for Bonavista
Saw 2 brigs at Anchor under Isle of Salt.
- Thurs^d Moderate trades and cloudy Steard for the harbour
Septem 1 of Bonavist- at 2 PM Stood off and on and went in
with a boat- found we could ship the oil by going over
to Isle of Salt in Company with the Schooner
Capt Thomson- at night Stood over to the
Northward in Company- wind light and Clear-
at 11 PM Stood to the SE- Latter part Isle of Salt NE
8 leagues we plying to windward for the harbor-
the Schooner to the SW 10 miles- light wind and
flatery at 12 Calm- Saw 2 Brigs at Anchor
NE 10 miles- in harbour of Isle of Salt.

Off the Cape Verde Islands outward bound

Friday Light wind and shifting we plying up for the
Sep 2 anchoring at night was 3 miles to leeward, stood
the NW and ply to the windward Latter part stood
In and came to in 10 fathoms the West head W
and set up the standing rigging - and washed off the
waist - saw the schooner Eliza Jane working up

Sat^d Brisk trades and cloudy at 2 AM the Eliza and Jane
Sep 3 of Cape John Thomson came in and came to
Latter part we paid 27 Cask of Oil and headmatters -
and stowed it on board of the schooner Eliza and Jane of
Portland (about 80 barrels) and stowed off the between
decks, and got ready for sea -

Sunday Brisk wind at NE - at 10 AM weighed and sailed
Sep 4 and steared out SE.

Monday Strong trades and ruzed Steard S by S at 6 PM Brisk
Sep 5 bore SW 3 leagues Steard SSE - Latter part Steard S by
Black and squally to the SW - Lat 14-51 - Long 23-45 -

Tues Squally and wind shifted to SSW a high sea from the
Sep 6 NE - some lightning and thunder - at 6 had squalls
in all to close reefed main topsail and fore sail -
at 10 squalls from the SW stood to the SSE in fore
very ruzed Latter part calmy and a high swell from the
South - Lat 14-47 Long 23-40 -

Wedn Light wind NW and the South Sea so sharp we ca
Sep 7 - not go any at 4 Brisk wind and she got some
very hard - Steard S by W Latter part strong wind d
racy cobbling sea on Lat 12-25 - Long 23-40

Thurs Brisk wind and cloudy Steard S by W - Latter part
Sep 8 wind light and squally Lat 10-48 - 23-30

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- Wed. Light airs and Showers of rain Stead by W —
Sep 9 Latter part wind WSW and SW stood to the SE —
No Obs. Lat 9-50 - Long 23-40 —
- Sat Strong wind SW and Squally stormy looking weather
Sep 10 at 6 PM in all to Close reef Main topsail and foresail
hard squalls and rain and very dark - Latter part
wind died same sat 2 reef top sails Lat 8-47 - Long 23 —
- Sunday Brisk wind and Cloudy Stead by the wind SSE - Saw Nothing
Sep 11 Latter part Squally and rain No Obs. Lat 8-00 Long 22 1/2 —
- Mon. Moderate wind SW and West Stead by the wind to the southward
Sep 12 Saw humpbacks Squally with rain Latter part
fair weather set all the sails wind WSW Lat. 6-33 - Long 21 1/2 —
- Tues. Squally and rain at 6 took in all to Close reef Main topsail
Sep 13 and foresail thick and rain - and heavy looking weather —
Latter part much rain and Squally No Obs Lat 6-21 —
- Wed. Squally with much rain and a sharp sea from the
Sep 14 South. Latter part Clear and Brisk wind Lat 5-23 - 20 1/2 —
- Thurs. Brisk wind at SW and cloudy - at 6 PM stood to the WNW
Sep 15 Squally with rain Latter part light wind and Clear
Lat 5-24 Lunar 20-00 —
- Fryday Light wind and clear spoke a Brig from New York
Sep 16 Bound to the southward, stood to the SSE - all sail on and
left the Brig astern. Latter part wind Very light and
extremely warm Lat. 4-42 - Long 19 —
- Sat Light wind & W Stead by W Latter part wind
Sep 17 SW and South Saw several Brigs and one Schooner —
No Obs - Lat 3-20 - Long 18 1/2 —

Crossing the Line Outward bound

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Sunday Squally wind South and SSW stood to the westward
Sep 18 at Midnight much rain and squally double reefed the
topsails Latter broke the misen topsail yard and made
a new one and put him up and set the misen topsail
again No Obs Lat 3°15' Long 20°

Mon^d Strong wind at S by W and ruzed we standing to the West
Sep 19 Latter part moderated same set sail accordingly
Lat 2°45' N Long 21½

Tuesday Strong wind at S by W and Clear steard by the wind W by S
Sep 20 Latter part set all sail wind SSW Lat 1°56' N Long 23½

Wedn^d Moderate wind SSW and clear steard by the wind to the West
Sep 21 Latter part squally and ruzed saw several sail
Lat 1°20' N Long 25-

Thurs^d Brisk wind at S by W steard by the wind to the WSW
Sep 22 Latter part set all sail saw a ship the SW standing to the
SW, we coming up with him fast Lat 0°20' N 26-2

Friday Brisk wind at S by E steard by the wind to the SW by W
Sep 23 at 6 PM pass the ship with American Collars
Latter part strong wind SSE Lat 1°12' S Long 27½

Sat Strong trades and clear steard by the wind to the SW by W
Sep 24 Latter part wind S E by S steard by the wind to the SSW
Lat 3°06' South Long 29-15

Sunday Brisk wind and flying clouds steard SSW saw no other
Sep 25 Latter part strong wind and ruzed reefed the topsails
Lat 5-44 - Long 30-20

Monday Strong trades and flying clouds steard SSW Latter
Sep 26 part strong trades Lat 8-19 Long 31-25

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- Tues
Sep 27 Strong trades and flying clouds Stead SW -
wind unsteady and a high swell from the SE -
Latter part light wind set all the sails Lat 11.5 32-40
- Wedn
Sep 28 Light wind and clear Stead SW saw humpbacks - but no
Sperm Whales Latter part Light wind and calm bent
New Main and Fore topsails. Lat. 12.42 - 33-40
- Thurs
Sep 29 Calm and light airs SE - Stead by the wind to the SW
Latter part squally with rain Lat 14-14 34-30
- Fryday
Sep 30 Strong wind SE - and a high swell from the Southward
Latter part wind unsteady from SE. to NNE - and
squally Stead SW Lat 16.30 Long 35-25
- Sat
Oct 1 Unsteady wind NE and a tumbling sea on -
Stead SW 8 PM wind NNE at 10 took a violent
hard squall from the SW with hail took in all
close reef M. topsail and staysail - soon died away
Latter part calm employ Repairing the foretop sail
Lat - 17-15 - Long - 35-50
- Sunday
Oct 2 Calm and a high swell we tumbling about
and cannot go any at 3 light wind at SW and
South - Latter part light wind and clear Stead to the
WSW Saw a Brig Stearing to the NE - Lat - 17-45
Long - 36-30
- Monday
Oct 3 Moderate wind S by E - Stead by the wind to the SW
at 8 Strong wind and sparp sea Latter part moderate
Broke up the between decks and cooper the Bread
Lat - 19-03 - Long - 37-30
Moderate wind at SE Stead by the wind to the SW by S
- Tues
Oct 4 Latter part wind ENE - bent to the New foresail
and Fore top Gallant sail Lat - 20-24 Long - 38-15

Off the Coast of Brazil outward bound

- Wed - Moderate wind N E - Steard SW. employ'd repairing
Oc. 5 Old sails - (the old bow pig). Latter part Cloudy wind N
and a high swell from the SE - Lat 22-37 - Long 39-15
- Thurs - Moderate wind N N E Steard SW all the sails on -
Oc. 6 Latter part wind North and thick, spit rain -
No Obs. Lat 24-17 Long 40-10
- Friday - Moderate wind North - at 4 died away almost calm -
Oc. 7 Saw a Brig Standing to the Eastward at 8 Calm -
Latter part took a brace at West - and blowing on quick
Lat - 25-26 - Long 40-10
- Sat - Strong wind at west at 4 took in all close reef
Oc. 8 maintopsail and staysail, down Fore & main top G-yard
in waist boat - and hoisted up the Quarter boats -
wind Blowing heavy at West - at Midnight wind died
Latter part wind at SE stood to the SW set 2 reef topsail
Lat - 25-56 Lunar 41-53
- Sunday - Moderate wind a SE and a high sea from the
Oc. 9 SE - Steard SW tumbling about much - Latter part
wind E N E Steard SW by S Lat 26-58 Long 42-50
- Monday - Brisk wind at N E Steard SW by S - raged and high swell
Oc. 10 Latter part wind N N E and rain No Obs -
Lat - 28-52 Long 45-20 -
- Tuesday - Squally wind N N E - and a high sea from the SE
Oc. 11 Steard SW by S - wind unsteady, at Midnight wind at South
and squally, in all to close reef topsail and foresail -
stood to the West. Lat - 29-57 Long 46-36
- Wedn - Moderate wind at South and a high swell from the SE
Oc. 12 stood to the Eastward Latter part calm sent up top G-yd
employ'd repairing sails. Lat - 30-06 - Long 46-

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Thurs^d Light airs Easterly, at 4 set all the sails Stead
Oc. 13 SW by S. wind ENE - and NE - hazy - Latter part strong
wind NE - at 11 AM wind shifted to the SE sudden in
a squall while close reefing the maintopsail Frederic
Gardner fell from the yard in to the main chains and
dropt overboard killed himself by striking in the main chains
we took in all to maintopsail and staysail blowing very
heavy about an hour, then the wind died and clear off

No Obs. Lat 31-50 47-25

Fryday
Oc. 14 Light wind East - Spoke Ship Ocean of Nantz bound
for the False bank Whaling, 7 days from Riofenario
at 6 PM Calm Latter part strong wind at SW by W stood
to the SE the Ocean in company Lat-33-9-46-50

Sat^d Strong wind at SW took in 2 reef the topsails -
Oc. 15 at 6 PM wind SSW and squally at 10 wind South
stood to the West Latter part wind at wind SE and ESE
Stead SW by S Lat-33-16- Lunar 48-50

Sunday
Oc. 16 Strong wind East Stead SW by S the Ocean in Comp
at night 2 reef the topsails and down topgallants
Latter part strong wind ENE Stead SSW and she goes
fast - thick and spit rain Lat 35-44 Long 50-1/2 -

Monday Strong wind ENE and cloudy Stead SSW at 6 PM
Oc. 17 moderated some set sail accordingly Latter part wind
SE - down fore & Mizzen top Gmasts and in fly jibboom
Lat-38-16- Long 52-30

Tues^d Moderate wind SE - stood to the SW at night sounded
Oc. 18 no bottom, Latter part Calm 47 fathoms empty
Repairing sails Lat 39-56- Lunar 55-1/2 -

Wedⁿ Calm at 4 Light wind NNE Stead S by E -
Oc. 19 at midnight Stead South Latter part strong wind WNW
at 8 died away Lat 40-57- Long 56- Lunar 56

Off the Brazil Bank outwards Bound

- Thurs^d Calm and hazy - saw No Wright Whales - but humpbacks
Oc 20 plenty Latter part light wind S.E. - stood to the SW -
Lat 41-23 Lunar 57-06
- Fryday Light wind S.E. Steard SSW saw a sail ahead at 4 Calm
Oc 21 Calm all the time Latter part wind NNE - Steard SSW
sounded no bottom saw a Bark Stearing South -
Lat 42-27 Long 58-3
- Sat Brisk wind at North Steard SSW a high swell from
Oc 22 the S.E. - at midnight squally with much lightning and
thunder. Latter part calm and fog Lat 43-51 - 59-20
- Sunday Calm and fog at 6 light wind SSW stood to the W
Oc 23 at 8 PM Calm and thick fog Latter part still Calm
No Obs. Lat 44 - Long 59-30
- Monday Calm at 4 light wind SW - and at 6 South - thick fog
Oc 24 stood to the Eastward at 3 AM stood to the WSW Latter part
strong wind and thick 55 fathoms Lat 44-20 - 59-1/2
- Tues^d Moderate wind S.E. - stood to the SW - wind dying fast -
Oc 25 at 8 PM Calm Latter part light wind NNE - Steard
Sby W Lat 45-12 - Long 60-10
- Wedⁿ Strong wind NNE - Steard SW at 4 PM spit rain - in light
Oc 26 sails - at 8.2 reefed the topsails strong gales and rain -
with a sharp sea wind NE - Latter part Steard South by Com
No Obs. Lat 47-52 - Long 62-02
- Thurs^d Strong gales and rain Steard South - very thick -
Oc 27 Latter part strong gales and rain No Obs. the water blue
and too Rugged to get Bottom in deep water -
Lat - 50-28 Long 63-12
- Fryday Strong gales at N by E Steard South - at 8 Steard S by E
Oc 28 Latter part strong gales and rugged with fog sounded 50 fathoms
Steard E by S 12 M^d strong gales and fog in all to close
reefed the M. Top sail and foresail -
Lat 52-50 - Long 63-25

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Sat Strong gales at North and too thick to run for Staten
 Oc 29 Land we by by with Close reef Main topsail and foresail
 head to the Eastward at 6 Reeft the foresail, 60 fathoms
 wind N by W and Blowing heavy - Latter part Sounded 70
 fathoms thick and fog wind died some No Obs -
 Lat 53-18 Long 63 -

Sunday Strong gales and fog Stead ESE - at 2 Clear? off
 Oc 30 Saw Nothing like Land - wind dying fast with a high
 swell from the NW - the water blue - at 8 PM fog
 and calm Latter part Light wind WNW and clear saw
 Staten Island WSW - 15 leagues Lat 55-8 Long 63 -

Monday Small wind at West - Stead S by W set all the sails -
 Oc 31 at 8 wind SW and squalls of snow Latter part hard squalls
 and much snow in fore and mizen topsails saw a ship
 steering to the NE, No Obs. Lat. 56-15 Long 63

Tuesday Strong gales at SW and hard squalls of snow in foresail
 and by by head to the SSE - this gives us a touch of Cape Horn
 Nov. 1 at 10 PM hard gales and Clear? off Latter part wind
 dying fast - and thick with snow very cold - No Obs -
 Lat. 57 - Long 62

Wednesday Light wind SW and calm and snow thick
 at 10 light wind NE - Stead SW by W much snow and rain
 No 2 Latter part wind NE but very light, fog and No Obs -
 Lat - 57-10 - Long 63 -

Thursday Light wind NE and fog at 4 PM Calm and a high swell
 from the SW. at 2 AM light wind NW and West -
 No 3 Lat - 58-08 Long 65 -

Friday Light wind West - and cloudy Stead by the wind WSW
 Latter part Strong wind NW and rain Ruzed Lat 58-25
 No. 4 Long 67-45

Sat Strong wind NW and rain Stead by the wind WSW -
 at night calm Latter part took a strong gale at SW
 Nov 5 stood to the NW at 12 Calm Lat - 57-57 - 69 -

Off Cape Horn outward bound

Sunday Calm and a high sea from the westward at 6 light
Nov. 6 airs at NWW steard WbyS- but goes slow - Latter part
Calm and rain Lat-57-35- Long-69-20

Monday Calm at 4 light airs SW stood to the WNW- but goes
No. 7 wind very lite - and calm Latter part wind SSE- and
squally steard WbyS- Lat-57-19- Long-71-

Tues Light wind SSW and calm calm calm
Nov 8 Latter part at 8 AM took the wind W- at 10 stood to
SSW- Lat 56-36- Long 71-25 -

Wedn Brisk wind WNW and NW and blowing on quick -
Nov. 9 at 4 PM double reef the topsails, in mainsail and
jib strong wind with rain Latter part stood to the NW -
thick and fog wind blowing on Lat-56-39- Long 72-52

Thurs Strong gales at West stood to the SSW in all to M. Topsail
No. 10 and staysails wind blowing hard and stormy Latter part -
wind died some, Lat. 56-55- Long 72 -

Friday Strong wind at NW by W and rain set the foresail - the sea
Nov 11 runs high from the SW- Latter part set the topsails -
stood to the NW- Lat-57-23- Long-72-

Sat Strong wind West stood to the SSW- raged and squally
Nov. 12 at 8 PM hard gales and stormy in all to M. topsails and staysail
very raged - Latter part squally Lat 57-50- Long-72-15-

Sunday hard gales and squally wind WNW we lying by head to the
Nov- 13 SW very raged and stormy - Latter part very squally with
hail and snow- Lat-58-23- Long-72-20

Monday strong gales WNW and West- and blowing heavy at 10
took in the M. topsail and fore topmast staysail
No 14 Latter part set the M. topsail- Lat-58-50- Long-72-

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Tuesday Strong gales West. and hard squalls, in Mairtop sail
 Nov. 15 and Ly by under storm staysails, head to the South —
 at 10 PM wind died some set sail accordingly Latter part
 wind Moderate at WNW hoisted up some water and fixed the
 rigging Lat 59-25- Long 74

Wedn? Squally and blowing on again with snow - and still head
 Nov. 16 wind - at day light wind died stood to the NW - set 2 reef
 topsails Lat- 59-46- Long 74-10 -

Thurs? Strong wind at West stood to the SSW Squally - Latter part
 stood to the WNW Squally and unsteady Lat 58-52 - 74

Nov. 17
 Friday Strong wind NW stood to the WSW thick with rain —
 at 6 wind NWN and rain at midnight Calm and rain
 No 18 at 4 Strong wind at South Stead WbyN a high sea from
 the NW Lat 58-03- Long 76-10

Sat Strong wind SSW and SW Stead WNW - raged and cloudy
 at 4 PM wind SW and West - stood to the WNW —
 Nov. 19 Later part - wind west - stood to the SSW Lat 56-11 - 77 —

Sunday Strong wind West and small rain with a high sea on
 at 4 Calm at 12 M N light wind SW Stead WNW —
 Nov. 20 Latter part Calm Lat 55-56 - Long 77-25 —

Monday Calm and a high sea from the WNW - at 10 Strong
 No 21 wind NW and rain stood to the WSW Latter part wind
 WbyS stood to the NWbyN Blowing hard - and raged —
 Lat. 55-42 - 77-40 —

Tues? Strong gales at West - stood to the WNW with close reef
 Nov. 22 M. top sail and foresail. hard gales and raged at Mid N -
 in foresail wind SW and hard gales Lat - 54-32 77½

Wedn? wind SW and dying fast set sail accordingly at 6 Calm
 Nov. 23 - and fog at 3 AM wind SW Stead NWbyW —
 Lat - 53-26 Long 78-10 —

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Thurs^d Brisk wind SW Stead NW thick fog - at 8 PM wind
Nov. 24 West - Latter part wind NW Stead to the SW Clear
Lat - 52-14 - Long - 78-20

Fryday Strong wind and brearing on quick NW - at 4 hove too
Nov. 25 Strong gales NW and rain, Latter part wind W by N Stead to the
N by W set close reef topsails - Lat - 52-00 Long - 78-15

Strong gales at West - and flights of fog - we standing to the N by
Sat^d at 6 PM in to close reef topsails and foresail Squally
Nov. 26 and ruzed No Obs - Lat - 50-30 - Long - 78 -

Sunday Strong gales and stormy in Mir topsail Squally with
Nov. 27 rain, wind W by S - at Midnight wind SW Stead NNW -
Latter part hard gales and a high sea on from the SW
Lat - 47-47 - Long - 78 -

Strong gales SW Stead NNW set 2 reef topsails
Monday Latter part wind at West and fog set single reef topsails
Nov. 28 No Obs - Lat 45 - Long - 77-45 -

Strong gales and stormy at 4, in all to close reef M topsail
Tuesday and foresail Stead NNW, Saw many right Whales
Nov. 29 Latter part set 2 reef topsails wind WSW - and fog -
Lat. 42-04 - Long 77-1/2

Wedn^d Strong gales W by S and fog Stead NNW she goes fast -
Nov. 30 Latter part wind died set all sail Stead N by W employ^d
fixing craft and getting ready for whaling - Lat - 38-58
Long 77-25

Moderate wind South and SE - Stead North - all sail on
Thurs^d Latter part wind at East Stead NNE - Saw Nothing -
Dec 1 Lat - 36-48 Long 76 -

Strong wind SE - and clear Stead NE by N at 4 Reef the
Fryday topsails Stead NNE - Strong gales and ruzed Latter part
Dec 2 wind died some Stead NE - Lat - 34-33 - Lunar - 74-40

Light wind at South Stead NE - all sail on Latter part light
Sat^d wind and hazy Saw humpbacks, the water green
Dec. 3 No Obs - Long - 73

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Sunday
Dec, 4 Light wind at S by W and smoky Stead N E saw
humpbacks and something like the Land - at 6 PM
Stead North Latter part Stead N E. at 9 AM saw the
Land 10 leagues - at 10 saw whales and struck one drew
the Iron and they all went off Stead to the Northward
Lat-32-15-

Monday Moderate trades and fair weather at night hove too -
Dec 5 head off - the water very green Latter part strong
trades and fog stood close in with the Land and Stead
down to the Northward saw nothing like sperm whales
Lat-30-50-

Tuesday Moderate wind and thick Stead to the Northward at night
Dec 6 the Land 6 leagues Stead N W by N. wind light -
Latter part Light wind Stead N by W got up the Cutting
tables pendants and Guys Lat-28-58 the Land 20 leagues

Wedn
Dec 7 Brisk wind at South Stead N by west - Latter part -
Strong trades and cloudy Lat-26-11 Land 20 leagues

Thurs
Dec 8 Strong trades and cloudy Stead N by W - very rugged -
Saw Nothing, Latter part wind died Shifted the Main
and fore topsails Stead North Lat-23-39 - 25 leagues

Friday Light wind and cloudy Stead to the Northward
Dec 9 Latter part wind light and calm found one of the Main
topmast backstays stranded laid a strand in and set him up
again Repaird the Mizzen topsail Lat-23- 20 leagues

Sat Dec Light trades and clear Stead N by E - Saw Nothing -
10 Latter part calm we cut down the old Mainsail and
bent him to for a foresail Saw Nothing Lat-22-25-

Sunday Light trades and clear Stead N by E - Latter part
Dec 11 Moderate and fair weather Lat-21-20 the Land 15 leagues

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- Mon^d Light wind and cloudy at night Steard N by W all sail
Dec 12 on Latter part got up the fore and mizen top G-masts
and yards and fly Sybloom out - Cloudy No Obs - the land
12 leagues -
- Tuesday Light wind and cloudy Saw sail to the Eastward - at night
Dec 13 Stood off Short sail Latter part Stood In Saw whales for off
to the windward and they soon run us out of sight - we stood
close in but saw nothing more like whales - Lat-19-29
- Wedn^d Moderate wind and fair weather - employ^d about the rigging
Dec 14 Steard to the NNW at night stood off - the Land 10 leagues
Latter part Steard to the NNW saw a Dead small whale
but cannot find any live ones, the time seems long
and No Oil yet. Lat 18-30 - the land 15 leagues -
- Thurs^d Light wind and cloudy at night Stood off WSW -
Dec 15 Latter part Steard W by N employ^d about the rigging
Lat 18-1 Land 18 leagues
- Friday Light wind and cloudy Steard West - No Whales - and very
Dec 16 barren - Latter part - Steard NW employ^d taring the
rigging - Saw 2 ships NW - Stearing from us -
Lat-17-13 - Land 15 leagues -
- Sat^d
Dec 17 Light wind and clear employ^d taring at night Steard W
Latter part - Steard North Saw 2 sail to the Eastward the land
10 leagues Lat-16-11 -
- Sunday Light wind and fair weather Spoke the Globe - 100 -
Dec 18 the George - 200 barrels Steard to the Westward in Company
at night Steard WSW parted. Company with the other ships
Latter part Stood In Saw Nothing Lat-15-50 -
- Monday Light wind and calm at 4 PM Spoke the Globe & George
Dec 19 at night Stood off Saw the land 15 leagues, Latter part Calm
Saw No whales Lat-15-25 - the land 12 leagues -

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Tuesday
Dec 20 Calm at 4 light trades Steard WNW at night Steard
W by N three topsails - Latter part Steard NE -
Lat - 14-19 -

Wedn^d
Dec 21 Moderate wind and fair weather at 4 Steard off-
WNW the land 6 leagues - Saw humpbacks but no
3 sperm Whales - Latter part saw whales and Chad had -
Struck one but drawd - and they all went off to the windward
Lat - 13-50 -

Thurs^d
Dec 22 Light trades and fair weather saw more whales and -
Struck but drawd and gave chase to more at 5 Struck a
lone whale and killed him took him along Side and -
4 cabled him by by head in 
Latter part employd Cutting -

Friday
Dec 23 Light wind and fair weather at 2 finished Cutting and
lowerd the boats for more whales killed one old Cow
at 6 PM took her along Side - employd trying -
5 Latter part Cut in the Cow and stood off trying -
No Obs -

Sat^d
Dec 24 Light wind and fair weather - at 5:30 - Saw Whales
and killed a small one and took him to the Ship -
6 employd trying - Latter part Cut in the whale -
stood off trying Lat - 13-20 - - 25 leagues 

Sunday
Dec 25 Light and calm at 4 saw whales struck one she soundd
and parted the line - stood in trying - Latter part
7 finnisk trying Saw a lone whale and struck him -
but drawd and he went off - Lat - 13-25 -

Monday
Dec 26 Light wind and fair weather saw more whales far to
the windward struck and killed one the rest was off -
at 6 PM took her along Side - Latter part Cut in the whale
and stood off trying Lat - 12-18 Saw Nothing

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Tues^d Light trades and fair weather standing off trying
Dec. 27 at 6 PM saw whales far off to windward - Latter part
9 saw more whales and chased but could not catch them at 8 PM
saw more whales and struck one but soon drew and they all went
off employ^d stowing down in the main hold - Stood In
Lat-12-18- Long 25- leagues

Wedn^d Brisk wind and cloudy at 6 PM finished stowing
Dec 28 Latter part wash^d off and look^d hard for more whales
but saw nothing Lat-12-59- Long 30 leagues

Thurs^d Brisk wind and cloudy standing off saw no whales
Dec 29 Latter part stood In saw nothing Lat 12-55-

Friday Brisk wind and cloudy at 6 stood off short sail saw no whales
Dec 30 Latter part stood In all sail Lat-12-40

Sat^d Light wind and cloudy stood In at 6 PM stood off short sail
Dec 31 Latter part steard NNE- at 10 AM saw the Brakers
on Los Hornozas Reef steard WNW- no Whales
Lat-11-56- Long 76-33

Sunday Light wind and very warm steard WNW- Latter part steard
Jan 1 NW saw whales and killed 2 small bulls. Employ^d towing
1826 them to the ship. No Obs. -

10
Mon^d Calm at 2 PM took the whales along side and at 6 PM
finished cutting employ^d tying Latter part wind very
Jan 2. light and very warm at 10 saw whales to the NW and steard
19 off for them No Obs.

Tues^d Light wind and calm - struck and killed a large whale
Jan 3 and at 3 PM took him to the ship employ^d fitting the
boats and coiling the lines, and trying - saw a sail
to the SE. - Latter part cut in the old whale saw nothing
No Obs. -

Date	Lat ^d	Long	Body oil	head matter	No Whales
1825					
Dec 22	13. S	80-	69	26	4
to 26-					
Jan 1 & 3	10.50 S	78-	73	36	3
1826					
" 29 & 30	4.45-	102½	50	23	2
Feb. 3	4.20	103½	24	13	1
" 10-17 & 18	4.30	109-	57	23	3
March 10-	13-N	132 W	63	21	3
May 28	28-N	161 E	75	25	8
June 15	30 N	148 E	1.7	6	1
June 24	33½ N	150 E	88	34	5
July 10	32½ N	152 E	47	24	1
July 17	31-50	151 E	77	34	2
" 28	32-20	148 E	26	15	1
Aug 11 & 14	31-00	152 E	122	59	3
" 22-	31-40	148½	47 +	15 +	1
Sep 3-	32..	150-	53-	15-	5
					<u>1257</u>
					25
					60
Oct 7	32	151½	42-	17	1
					<u>1342</u>
Oct. 3	32 N	156 E	18	8	2
1827					
Jan 28 & 5	19-N	156-25 W	39*	16	4
Jan 30	3 South	150 W	37+	11	4
Apr-8	19-15 N	177 W	16	5	2
May 1	28½ N	160 E	27	10	1
" 24	29 N	149 E	26	14+	1
June 6-	29 N	149 E	58	26	2
" 18	30-N	149 E	20	8	1
July 14	32-50	150-	32	16	1
" 17	33-00	150½	45	17	2
" 5	32½	153-	14	4	1
" 13	32-10	153	40	20	1
" 18	32-10	152½	18	3	1
" 29	31-40	155	62	38	2
Sep 5 & 7	32-20	155½	86	45	2
" 10 & 12	33-10	156	116	17	2
" 26	32-12	156	54	16	1
Oct 11	31-25	17.5 E	40	13	1

Saw Whales
122 times during
the voyage
of 36 months

12248 barrels

475

173

475

548

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Wedn^d Light wind and very warm employ cutting up the
Jan 4 head and trying stood in at midnight stood off
Lat-10-50- the land 30 leagues

Thurs^d Moderate wind and cloudy employ trying stood off
Jan 5 at 6 stood in. Latter part finished trying and coopered
some of the Coldest of the Oil Lat-10-51- 25 leagues

Fryday Moderate wind at S.E. and clear stood off employ
Jan 6 stowing. Latter part saw a shoal of small whales and chased
hard but they run like wild horses, we come on board
12 and finish^d. Stowing down saw many blackfish - stood off
short sail. Lat No Obs.

Sat^d Brisk wind and squally stood off at 12 Midnight stood
Jan 7 in. Latter part - flights of rain saw Nothing
Lat-10-40-

Sunday Brisk wind and flight of rain at 6 P.M. stood off
Jan 8 Latter part Stead N.E. Saw Nothing Lat 9-53

Mon^d Brisk wind and clear Stead N.E. at 6 stood off -
Jan 9 Latter part Stead to the Northward saw Nothing -
Lat 9-12-

Tues^d Light wind and smoky Stead N.W. and W.N.W.
Jan 10 Latter part wind light and hazy Lat-8-16

Wedn^d Light wind and hazy Stead N.W. by E. at 5 P.M. saw
Jan 11 a lone whale to the SW but he went off to the SW.
13 Latter part light wind and hazy Stead N.W. E.
Lat-7-27-

Thurs^d Light wind and smoky Stead N.W. E. at 6 sounded
Jan 12 70 fathoms hove to head off. Latter part Stead
N.W. saw Lobos de Mer, N.W. E. 5 leagues Lat 7-1

Fryday Light wind and hazy Stead N.W. by N. saw a Brig
Jan 13 standing in. Latter part saw Cape Afugar and Stead to the
North for Paita Lat. 5-45- the land 4 leagues

Off Paity and in the Port-

Sat-14 Moderate wind and cloudy Stead for Paity head - at 5
Jan - PM - saw a small Brig Boating up - the H^c of Lobosde
Paity N by E - 2 leagues we by by head off - Latter part
Calm and Cloudy at 10 took a light wind and stood
for Paity-

Sunday Light sea breeze and cloudy at 1.30 PM Come to in
Jan 15 9 fathams - in Paity roads - Latter part some hands
on shore on liberty at night all hands on board -

Monday Light wind and clear employ^d painting the ship -
Jan 16 and Bro^t off some potatoes - at night all hands on
board -

Tues^d Nor^d trades and clear employ^d painting -
Jan 17 Latter part bro^t of some onions and potatoes at night
all hands on board -

Wedn^d Moderate trades and fair weather - got of some more
Jan 18 potatoes and onions and filld some sand -

Thurs^d Moderate trades and fair weather - at night all hands on
Jan 19 board and an officers wash set - Latter part got off some
sand and got all ready for sea Clear Ship &c -

Fryday Moderate wind and fair weather at 6 PM weigh^d and saild
Jan 20 Stead out west - Light wind - Latter part on bent the cable
and stow^d the Anchors - Saw many blackfish but no sperm
whales - Lat - 4-38 - the land 20 leagues

Sat^d Light wind and fair weather Stead W by S - saw Nothing
Jan 21 Latter part wind light and very warm Lat - 4-39 - 40 leagues

Sund^d Light wind and calm saw Nothing - Latter part
Jan 22 Moderate wind Stead W by W Lat - 4-42 - 65 leagues

Mon^d Moderate wind and cloudy Stead W by W - Latter part
Jan 23 Brisk trades and squally Lat - 5-8 - 90 leagues

Tues^d Brisk wind and squally Stead W by S - saw no whales
Jan 24 Lat - 5-7 Long - 90-

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Wedn^d Light wind and fair weather at 6 PM Spoke
Jan 25 Brig finnis Cap^t Henry Carter of Liverpool
from Riohago to Lima short of water and crew
sickly supply him, Stead WbyS. Latter part
wind light and clear saw nothing Lat-4°56' 92

Thurs^d Light wind and clear Stead WbyS - Latter part
Jan 26 light wind - Lat-4°56' - 94°30

Fryday Strong trades and flying clouds Stead WbyS -
Jan 27 Latter part fair weather but No whales Lat 4°57'
Long-97 -

Sat^d Moderate wind and clear Stead WbyS -
Jan 28 Latter part ditto Lat-4°48' - Long-99½

Sunday Brisk wind and clear Stead WbyS saw finbacks
Jan 29 but No sperm whales - Latter part light wind -
14 Saw and killd a Lone whale and took him along -
Side No Obs - Lunar-102½

Monday Light wind and clear Cut in the whale and
Jan 30 employ trying Latter part saw more and
15 killd one the rest was off at Mr. took him to the
Ship No Obs - Long-103 -

Tues^d Light wind and calm Cut in the whale and
Jan 31 trying - Latter part stood to the South Lat-3°52'
Lunar-102-15

Wedn^d Light wind and fair weather Saw Nothing at 6
Feb 1 PM finnis trying - Latter part - Employ Stowing -
Calm and very warm Lat - No Obs -

Thurs^d Light wind and calm at 6 PM finnis^d Stowing
Feb. 2 Latter part stood to the WSW Lat-4-10 Lunar 103-15

Fryday Moderate wind and fair weather at night Saw a large
Feb 3 Whale but so high night we did not lower stood to the SW
16 Latter part saw whales and killd one struck another but part
Cut in the dead Whale No Obs

Off Shore Ground

- Sat^c
Feb 4 Moderate wind saw more whales but they was so wild
Coult Not strike employd trying stood to the South.
Latter part finnisd trying and Cooperd some of the Oil
Lat-4° 49- Long-103½
- Sunday Brisk wind and cloudy stood to the SSW- Latter part stood
Feb. 5 down the Oil and washd off No Ols- Long-103-45
- Monday Moderate wind and cloudy stood to the N.E. at 6 stood to
Feb 6 the SW Latter part- saw Nothing Lat- 5-30 - Long-104
- Tues^d Brisk wind and Clear saw 2 Ships at 4 PM Spoke Ship
Feb 7 Washington 240 - and Lira 160 - stood to the North
Latter part saw Nothing Lat-4° 30 - Long-104
- Wedn^d Strong trades and clear saw nothing- Latter part-
Feb-8 stood to the SW Lat-4° 20 - Long-104-15
- Thurs^d Strong trades and clear at 4 PM saw whales and
Feb-9 Chas. but Coult Not strike - stood one way and the other
Latter part saw more whales and Chas. hard but the whales
17 was very wild coult Not strike Lat-4° 48-104
- Fryday Light wind and clear saw more whales and killed one
Feb 10 young bull took him along side and cut him in -
stood to the North- Latter part stood to the SW finnisd
18 trying saw Nothing Lat 4° 15 - 104° 40
- Sat^c Light wind and very warm stood to the SW Latter part
Feb-11 saw whales and Chas. hard but Coult Not strike -
19 Squally and Ruzed Lat-4° 30 - 104-50
- Sunday Strong wind and Squally at Night double reefd the
Feb 12 topsails Latter part stood to the N.E. Squally and ruzed
Lat 4° 50 - Lunar - 108½
- Monday Strong wind and Squally standing to the Northward
Latter part Still Ruzed Lat-3° 52 - Lunar 108½
- Feb. 13 Strong wind and Ruzed standing to the Northward.
- Tuesday stood to the South saw Nothing Lat 3° 25
- Feb 14 Long of Lunar 108-45

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Wedn Moderate wind, clear, standing to the South
 Feb 15 Saw no whales Latter part brisk wind saw
 Nothing Lat $4^{\circ}47'$ Long P° Lumar 108-50

Thurs Brisk wind and flying Clouds Saw 2 ships to the
 Feb 16 windward Latter part Saw whales and chad-
 10 but. Could not strike Lat- Long-109-

Friday Strong trades and ruzed at 3 PM Saw whales in
 Feb 17 Struck 2 broke 2 Irons from one and the other
 run off to windward Cut from him and Looked
 in the Sun Glade for the other at 4.30 found him
 dead and took him to the ship and by by -
 Latter part Cut him in stood to the SSW
 Lat- $4^{\circ}50'$ Long 109-15-

Sat Strong wind and cloudy Saw whales and Killd one
 Feb 18 at 4.30 took him to the ship and by by employ
 trying Latter part squally and ruzed wave ship and
 22 Cut to the leward very ruzed No Obs- Long-109 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sund Strong squalls and a high sea stood to the NNE
 Feb 19 employ. trying Latter part finishd trying -
 Lat $3^{\circ}15'$ Long 109-40

Mon Strong trades and squally we standing to the NNE
 Feb 20 Cooper? some of the Oil, Latter part Stowd down
 the Oil in main hold Steard NW - Lat No Obs -

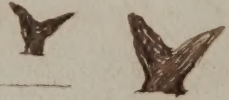
Tues Light wind and hazy Steard N by W Saw Nothing
 Feb 21 Latter part Steard NW Saw Nothing Lat $1^{\circ}38'$ South
 Long-110-15

Wed Light wind and very warm Steard NW - Latter part
 Feb 22 Light wind Saw Many finbacks Lat $1^{\circ}5'$ South
 Long 110.40

Bound to the Sandwich Islands

- Thurs Light wind and clear Stead NW- Latter part
Feb. 23 Nearly Calm Stead NNW Lat 52° South Long $-110^{\circ}50'$
- Friday Light airs and calm Stead NNW- very hot weather
Feb. 24 Latter part ditto Lat -37° South Long -111°
- Saturday Light trades and flying clouds- Stead NNW
Feb. 25 Latter part squally Lat -21° North- Long $-111^{\circ}25'$
- Sunday Moderate trades and squalls of rain Stead NNW
Feb. 26 at 6 PM wind bet N & Stead NW by N- Latter part
Squally with rain Lat $-2^{\circ}21'N$ Long $-112^{\circ}30'$
- Monday Moderate wind at bet N & Stead NNW squally-
Feb. 27 Latter part wind shift from NE- to East- Stead
NW by N Lat $-4^{\circ}13'N$ Long -114°
- Tuesday Light wind and squally Stead NW by N at 6 PM
Feb. 28 wind NE- and squally Latter part ruzed
Lat $-5^{\circ}37'$ Long $-118^{\circ}\frac{1}{2}$
- Wedn Brisk wind and cloudy Stead NW Latter part-
March 1 squally and ruzed Lat $-7^{\circ}27'$ Long $-120^{\circ}\frac{1}{2}$
- Thurs Strong wind and squally saw whales and got one cow
March 2 Cut her in employd trying- Stead to the NNW
Latter part squally and ruzed finished trying-
23 Lat $8^{\circ}9'$ Long -121°
- Friday Strong trades and ruzed Stead NW by N Close reef tops
March 3 Latter part- squalls of rain and ruzed Lat $-8^{\circ}59'$ Long -122°
- Sat Strong gales and ruzed at night hove too-
Ma 4 Latter part Stead NW Lat 10° Long $-122^{\circ}\frac{1}{2}$
- Sund Strong trades and clear at night hove too-
Ma 5 Latter part strong trades and ruzed Lat $10^{\circ}38'$
Long $123^{\circ}10'$

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- Monday
Mar. 6 Strong trades and ruzed Steard NWbyW at night
hove to Latter part Steard NWbyW Saw Nothing -
Lat-11° 8 Long 124 -
- Tuesday
Mar 7 Strong trades and ruzed Steard NWbyW - Latter
part - the sea runs high and we tumble about much
Lat-12° 14 Long 125-20
- Wed^d
Mar 8 Strong trades and ruzed Steard WbyN Saw nothing -
Latter part ditto Lat 12° 52 - Long 128 -
- Thurs^d
Mar 9 Strong trades and ruzed Steard WbyN - - -
Latter part - Saw whales and struck and killed a large
one and old cow employ^d bringing them to the ship
221  No Obs - Long 130-25
- Friday
Mar 10 Strong trades and ruzed at 4 PM got the whales
Cable^d and Cut the big head off and lashed down
the blubber for the night - by by head to the NW -
Latter finish^d cutting and employ^d trying - -
No Obs - Long 130-40 -
- Sat-11 Moderate trades and fair weather - Stood to the N
trying Saw a sail - to the NE - Latter part -
Spoke ship G Farmer Jay - 100 barrels Stood to
the South - in Com, Lat-13-25 - Long 131
- Sunday
12 Moderate - and fair weather, Stood to the South -
employ^d trying Latter part finish^d trying - -
Lat-12-38 - Lunar 132 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Mon^d
13 Strong trades and flying Clouds at 6 Stood to the
NNW the G Farmer in Company - Latter part
Stow^d down the oil in Main hold Sat Nothing
Lat 12:40 - Long 133 $\frac{1}{2}$

Bourne to the Sandwich Islands

- Tues⁶ Strong trades and squally standing to the Northward
Mar 14 Latter part Stead W by N the G. Farmer in company -
Lat-13-47 - Lunar 134 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Wedn^d Strong trades and ruzed Stead W by N - saw finbacks
Mar 15 but no sperm whales Latter part wind died some
the G. Farmer in company Lat-14-20 - Lunar 136 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Thurs^d Strong trades and clear Stead WNW Latter part
Mar 16 Squally saw no whales Lat 15-16 Lunar 138-45 -
- Fryday Squally and ruzed Stead N by W Latter part -
Mar 17 Squally and a high sea on Lat 16-21 - Lunar 140-45
- Sat^d Squally and ruzed Stead N by W - Latter part -
Mar 18 Squally and ruzed Stead WNW Lat 17-16 Long 143
- Sunday Squally and stormy Stead WNW - Latter part -
Mar 19 very ruzed Lat - No obs - 18-40 Long - 145 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Mon^d Strong squalls and stormy saw 2 sail to the West -
Mar 20 Stead WNW Latter part - spoke the Atlantic
450 - and G. Farmer - Lat-19-45 - Long 148
- Tues^d Squally and stormy looking weather at night hove
Mar 21 to head to the WNW Latter part Stead SW still ruzed
and stormy Lat-19-49 - Long 149 $\frac{1}{2}$ - the Atlantic
in company
- Wedn^d Strong gales and stormy at night hove to head SE
Mar 22 down fore & mizen Top & yards. Lard squalls with
Lightning and thunder Latter Cleard off but blows
hard at 10 Stead off WSW Lat-19-10 Long 150
- Thurs^d Strong trades and a high swell Stead W by S the
Mar 23 Atlantic in company Latter part Stead W by S -
Lat-18-48 - Long 152 -

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- Friday
Mar 24 Strong trades and flying clouds Stead West -
the Atlantic in company Latter part Stead W²S
at 10 AM saw the East part of Owhyhe NW 10 leagues
Stead down the South Side at 12 the East point N -
- Sat^d
Mar 25 Strong trades and a high sea at 6 PM turned the
SW point and Stead to the NW saw another Ship
Calui; to the NW at 10 light wind and Calm
the Atlantic and the other Ship in Company -
the Land about 5 leagues Latter part Calm -
and Cloudy the Current running to the Southward
Strong had several Canoes along Side, but little Trade
- Sund
Mar 26 Calm and light wind from the N. Stood off and In
and go to leeward fast - at 10 took a land breeze
and run up to the NNW Latter part Calm -
and Bothersome the land 2 leagues -
- Monday
Mar 27 Calm and smoky and the tide Sclaps -
Lite airs through the Night Latter part Calm -
and we still going to leeward Some Canoes off -
traded Some for potatoes
- Tues^d
Mar 28 Calm and lite airs - Stood off and In - but mak
no headway - Latter part Lite wind from the N
and Cloudy
- Wedⁿ
Mar 29 Lite wind at NNW Stood In at 3 took the wind
S. E. and Rain Stead along Shore to the NNW -
the land 10 miles distant - at 2 PM Calm - at 10
Squally and wind unsteady with Calms, Latter part
wind lite Stead in an course to in Karakoa bay
in 10 fathoms, the Ocean 150 and Atlantic 450 in at Anchor
in the bay - - -

At the Sandwich Islands -

- Thurs^d Ma 30 Squally with rain; waiting for Governor Addams to come from Cirua and employ about ships duty - at 12 the Ocean Sail Latter part employ paying the Bends and trading for potatoes -
- Fryday Ma 31 Calm and Squally at 10 the Governor came from Kirua and Brought us some potatoes - employ stowing them away -
- Sat^d Apr 1 Calm and Cloudy Saw two ships in the offing - employ trading for potatoes Latter part - Stopped the Governor and Chiefs on board to dine -
- Sund Apr 2 Calm and Cloudy - at Night All hands on board at 4 AM the Atlantic Sail - lite Sea and Land breases -
- Monday Lite Sea brease and Cloudy - got all ready for Sea Apr 3 but the Sea brease blowing in Latter part Calm, the Com Perry - Smith came in to Anchor 450 barrels - No wind for us to go Out -
- Tues^d Apr 4 Lite brease in and No land brease we lying by - waiting for the land Brease to go out - Latter part wind from the NW and rain -
- Wedn^d Apr 5 Calm on rain at 5 PM the Franklin came in with 560 barrels - we waiting for a wind to go out, Latter part Squally and the swell heaving In no time to go out -
- Thurs^d Apr 6 Squally and rain with a swell in from the SW - Latter part wind NW and Cloudy and a high swell
- Fryday Apr 7 Strong wind at NNW and Clear off - we waiting for the wind to go out, Latter part Calm and No time yet - the Com Perry try^d but with the boat ahead - Could Not, and Come back -
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- Sat - Calm and lite breeze in - we waiting for
Apr 8 the wind out - at 2 AM lite wind off the
land weighed and saild in company with the
Franklin and Com Perry, at M^d Calm the
land 6 miles to West -
- Sun Calm and a high sea from the NW at 6 PM
Apr 9 took strong wind from the NW - 2 reef the
topsails Stear N by W at 11 PM took in to close reef
Main topsail and by by at 5 AM set 2 reef topsails
Latter part wind died set all sail stand by the wind
Saw Rain N by E - 10 leagues -
- Mon Calm and a high sea from the Eastward -
Apr 10 the Com Perry SW 8 miles - Latter part stood over
for Warhoo strong trades and raged - at M^d came to
in 14 fathoms with the Chain - without the reef -
at Manararo Roads - Squally and flights of rain -
- Tues Strong trades and squally - we employ getting ready
Apr 11 for going inside - the first opportunity -
Latter part - Still strong trades and showers of rain
- Wedn Strong trades and squally the Brig Taliho Mr Jones
Apr 12 came in 135 days from Boston - we still lying out
side and waiting for a change of weather to fill the
water - or go in side, Latter part strong trades and -
hard flaws, the brig came to sail and try to get in -
but, come to again
- Thurs Strong trades and squally payed out to 75 fathoms of
Apr 13 Chain at 6 PM the Roscoe Worth came out -
Latter part Still strong trades and raged -
- Fry Strong trades and squally at 4 PM the S^r Forme went to sea
Apr 14 Latter part blowing strong trades and raged the Ocean
Atlantic and Ontario went to sea

Lying at Oahoo

- Sat
Apr 15 Strong trades and squally we lying waiting for a change of weather, Latter part - still blowing.
- Sunday Strong trades and cloudy - - - - -
- Apr 16 Latter part the Franklin went In but the breeze set in before we could get the Pilot - - - - -
- Mon^d Strong trades and clear we waiting for a change of wind - or a calm. Latter part strong trades and clear
- Apr 17 of wind - or a calm. Latter part strong trades and clear
- Tues^d Strong trades and clear - the Wilman Barney lying
- Apr 18 of and on -
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- Thurs^d Light trades and cloudy we got all ready for sea -
- Apr 27
- Friday Moderate trades and cloudy at 4 weigh^d and sail^d -
- Apr 28 at 5 discharg^d the Pilot and steard SW at 7 PM the NW hills of Oahoo bore NNW - steard round the West end of the Island - the land 2 leagues distance. Latter part strong trades and raged steard by the wind to the N by W - on bent the cables and stow^d the anchors
- Lat. - 23-27 Long^y 158 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Sat Strong trades and raged steard by the wind to the N by W
- Apr 29 Latter part steard NNW strong trades - Lat 25-02 - Long 159 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Sunday Strong trades and raged steard NNW Latter part wind
- Apr 30 East and a high swell from the NW steard NW by N - Lat 27-03 - Sunas 160-2
- Monday Light wind at East and hazy steard NW by N -
- May 1 Latter part steard NW fitted a new M topsail Tie and put it on thick and hazy with a high sea from the NW down fore and mizen top Gyards and mizen top gallant mast and rigging No Obs Lat 28 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Long^y 161-20 West

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- Tues^d Squally with a high sea in all to Close reef
 May 2 Maintopsail and staysail head to the NW - Very
 Rugged sea from the NW Latter part took in flyjib
 boom and foretopgallant mast Lat 29-12-162
- Wedn^d Strong gales and thick flits of rain Stead W by N
 May 3 2 reefed topsails at night hove to head to the NW
 Latter part Stead West - Close reefed topsails -
 Lat 29-46 Long 164 W
- Thurs^d Strong gales and thick Stead W & S at night hove to
 May 4 head to the NW Latter part Stead W by S -
 Lat 29-35 Long 165-20
- Fryday Strong gales and cloudy Stead W & S at Night
 May 5 hove to Latter part light wind and cloudy Stead
 W & S - Saw porpoises but No sperm whales
 Lat 29-51 Long 167
- Sat^d Brisk wind at East and cloudy Stead W & S -
 May 6 Latter part thick and smoky Lat 30-11 - 169
- Sunday Brisk wind at E by S and cloudy - Stead W by S -
 May 7 Latter part thick and smoky No Obs - 172
- Mon^d Squally with rain and fog at night hove to -
 May 8 Latter part calm and fog - Lat 30-22 - 172 1/2
- Tuesday Light wind and fog Stead W by S - Saw blackfish -
 May 9 Latter part fog at NW Clear of Lat 30-22 - 174
- Wedn^d Light wind and clear Stead W by S mended the etc
 May 10 foresail and bent it again. Latter part - wind at
 SW Stead by the wind to the NW Lat 30-52 175-21
- Thurs^d Strong wind SSW - at 2 Saw a lone whale and run up
 May 11 with Ground but saw no more of him at 4 PM Saw
 a Shoal and chad, but could not strike at night hove to head
 to the NW Latter part Strong wind SSW Lat 2 reefed topsails
 Lat 31-36 Lunar 175-36

Bound to the Coast off Japan

- Friday
 May 12 Strong wind at SSW and SW stood to the WNW - saw nothing Latter part light wind and flattery stood to the SE - at 10 stood to the WSW wind south. Lat 31-56 - 176
- Sat 8
 May 13 Moderate wind South at 6 Squally 2 recd the tops Latter part rain at Wrd clear off Lat 32-03. 177 ^{West} 45
- Sunday
 May 14 Light wind at SSW and South set all the sails steard by the wind WSW Latter part calm and clear Lat - 32-17 Lunas 178-10 West
- Mon
 May 15 Calm and a high swell from the V.B. - Latter part light wind at ENE and ESE. No Obs - Lunas 179-25
- Tues
 May 16 Light wind ESE and thick - steard SW saw a sail to the SW - Latter part Light wind and squally spoke the Frank Coffin - Squally with rain Lat 32 - Long 180 -
- Wedn
 May 17 Squally with much rain steard SW - Very hard rain - Latter part squally and unsteady weather - No Obs Long - 179 East
- Thurs
 May 18 Strong wind NW and NNW steard SW the Franklin to the westward 10 miles a high swell from the SE - Latter part strong wind N by E - steard SW saw and pick up a beader tub with 10 Gallons of Nut Oil in it to appearance had been a long time at sea it was worn but and covered with Clams Lat 29-54 - 177 - East
- Friday
 May 19 Strong wind and clear at 3 PM pas a Carcase - steard WSW the Franklin in company steard WSW Lat 29-4 Long - 174-46 East
- Sat
 May 20 Strong trades and cloudy steard WSW - saw Junipers - Latter part Moderate and cloudy Lat 28-32 - 172
- Sund
 May 21 Light trades and cloudy steard WSW - Latter part light wind and clear saw finbacks the Franklin to the Eastward 20 miles Lat 28-14 170 $\frac{1}{2}$ E -

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Monday Moderate trades and fair weather Stead W
May 22 Latter part wind light and Clear Lat 28-27 169 E

Tuesday Light trades and hazy sea Nothing - Latter
May 23 part Clear wind SSW Saw a lone whale and Chas
1 Long time - Lat 28-5- Long 168

Wednesday Light at SSW the boats still in chase at 2 PM
May 24 struck and dragged come on board and Stead for the
whale at 6 Chas. again but could not catch him -
by by head to the Westward - Saw the Franklin.
Latter part Squally wind SW and rain
Lat 28-27 Long 167-50

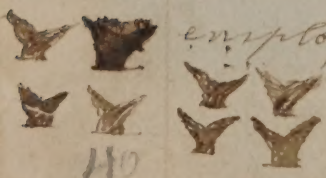
Thursday Squally and calm with rain the Franklin to the
May 25 SW - 6 miles, Latter part - light wind NE
Stead W 1/2 S - Lat 28-45 - Long 167-20

Friday Light wind at NE and cloudy Stead W by S
May 26 Latter part - thick and hazy Lat 28-38 165

Saturday Light wind and hazy Stead W by S - Saw Nothing
May 27 Latter part wind very light and Clear Lat 28-25
Long 161 1/2

Sunday Light wind at East Stead W by S at 6 PM Saw
May 28 whales far off hove to in hopes to find them in
3 morning at 10 rain Latter part saw whales at
Chas. No Obs - Long 161-20 East

Monday at two PM took along Side 8 whales and got ready
May 29 for cutting Cut in 4 and by by the rest - employ about
the heads - and trying Latter part Cut in the other 4
employ. trying Calm and Very warm Lat 28 1/2
Long 161 1/2 E



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- Tues^d Calm and very warm employ^d trying. Saw Nothing
May 30 Latter part light wind at N.E. and East - stood to the
South - Lat - 28-15 - Lunar 161 - East
- Wedn^d Lite wind East employ^d trying - Latter part
May 31 Finnish^d trying - Calm - Lat - 28-06 - 161 E
- Thurs^d Calm employ^d Stowing down the Cobs of the Oil
June 1 Latter part Finnish^d Stowing - No Obs - Long - 161
- Fryday Calm washed of the decks and took^d had for more
June 2 whales Latter part saw and spoke the Discovery Boat
of London wind NW stood to the S.W. Lat - 29-3 - 160 1/2
- Sat^d Lite wind NW and squally stood to the SW - Latter
June 3 part stood to the N.E. - saw Nothing Lat 29-3 - 160
- Sunday. Brisk wind N by W Stead west - the Discovery to the S
June 4 2 leagues - Latter part saw a lone whale and javelha
4 the Recovery boats in Company and one of their Strainers
Lat - 29⁰⁰ or 159-25 - E.
- Monday light airs and Calm saw finbacks at Night Short sail
June 5 Latter part flattery and Calm saw Nothing
Lat 29-04 Long - 158-45
- Tues^d Lite airs and Calm at 6 1/4 saw whales to the SW
June 6 Come under short sail. Latter part Calm saw Nothing
Lat 29-9 - Long - 158-45
- Wedn^d Lite airs and Calm saw Nothing. Latter part rain
June 7 and lite airs NW No Obs - Long - 158-25
- Thurs^d Lite Airs and squalls of rain at 5.20 saw a lone whale
June 8 and lower^d. but saw no more of him the Recovery to
5 the B.S.B. - 15 miles Latter part Brisk wind and clear
steard West - Lat 29-10 Long - 157 East -
- Fryday Brisk wind at N.E. - saw nothing Steard West - Latter part
June 9 Strong wind and Ruzed Lat. 29-9 - Lunar 158 1/2 East

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- Thurs^d June 29 Light wind and clear at 2 PM saw the Mercury with signal for whales and stood for them — but the whales went off to the windward —
11 at night stood to the NE. Latter part calm and a high sea from the NE. Lat 33-14 - 151-25
- Fryday June 30 Calm and a high sea tumbling us about — Saw Nothing like whales Latter part light wind at WSW stood to the North Lat 33-56 - 151-40
- Satt^d July 1 Moderate wind WSW and cloudy at 2 PM stood to the Southward Latter part strong wind and spit rain stood to the NNW No Obs - 151 —
- Sunday July 2 Strong wind and thick weather saw Nothing like whales - Latter part squally wind West — Saw whales and stood for them No Obs 151 —
- Monday July 3 Squally and shower of rain struck one and they Run to the Eastward came loose and took up boats — hard showers of rain wind NW —
12 at night hove to head SW - Latter part wind NW and NE. stood to the westward — Lat 33-36 Long 150-45
- Tues^d July 4 Brisk wind NE - stood to the SE - at night stood to the NW - Short sail, Latter light wind and Calm Saw Nothing Lat-33-40 - 150 ½
- Wedn^d July 5 Calm and very hot - Latter part light wind SW stood to the NW Lat-33-50 - 150 —
- Thurs^d July 6 Light wind SW - stood to the SE - at 6 PM saw a lone whale and chas^d but he went off to windward Latter part Calm and Nothing like whales —
13 Lat-33-38 - 150-20

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Fryday Light wind SW stood to the S E - Latter part -
July 7 Squally stood to the West - Lat 32-58 - Long 149-40

Sat^d Strong wind SW - at Night saw whales and chas^d
July 8 but could not strike - Latter part light wind
14 at SW stood to the S E - saw a whale far off to the SW
and tack^d ship but he went off to windward - stood to
the S E - again Lat - 32-25 - Lunar - 152

Sunday Small wind SW at 2 PM saw a lone whale and
July 9 Chas^d he was down ^{h^m} 1.25 and did not go far - struck
15 and killed him - and cut his head off - by by -
Latter part finished cutting and began trying -
wind South stood to the West - Lat 32ⁱ Lunar 152ⁱ

Monday Brisk wind at South - stood to the West - employ^d
July 10 trying saw nothing Lat 32-08 - Long 151-20

Tues^d Strong wind South - finished trying - saw porpoises -
July 11 Latter part stow^d down the Oil in the fore hold -
Lat - 32-18 - Lunar 151ⁱ

Wedn^d Moderate wind SW - at 6 PM stood to the W N W -
July 12 Latter part stood to the S E - saw Nothing -
Lat 32 - Long - 151

Thurs^d Light wind SW and squally stood to the S E -
July 13 Latter part calm Lat 31-45 - Lunar 151-38

Fryday Calm - Latter part light wind N N W stood
July 14 to the West - Lat 31-36 - Lunar 151-20

Sat^d Light wind at N N W - saw whales and chas^d
July 15 but they prov^d to be finbacks Latter part saw
and spoke ships G Farmer and North America
Lat - 31-30 - Long 151

Sund^d Light wind N E - stood to the N W - Latter part - Squally
July 16 saw and killed a lone whale and took him to the ship
16 No Obs - Long - 150-45

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- Mond
 July 17 Moderate wind East - cut off the big head and
 half the body in. Saw another whale. Killed him
 18. Some on boat hurt 2 men slightly at 7 PM took
 the whale to the ship employ trying
 Latter part Employ cutting and trying
 No Obs - Long - 150 -
- Tues
 July 18 Moderate wind SE - at 4 PM finnish cutting
 all but the junk and by by them employ trying
 Latter part finnish trying the body and
 took in the junk employ trying head -
 Lat - 31-47 - Long - 150 -
- Wed
 July 19 Brisk wind ESE. Stood to the South finnish -
 trying Latter part stood down in the After
 hold - - - No Obs - Long - 149 $\frac{1}{2}$ -
- Thurs
 July 20 Strong wind ESE - spoke ship LeGale Dixson
 Stood to the South - Latter part Strong wind
 and Squally took in the Larboard boat and mended
 her Saw Nothing like whales - Lat - 30-56 - 149 -
- Friday
 July 21 Strong wind and Squally Stood to the South
 Latter part Stood to the NNE - Saw a lone
 19 whale and run distance for him he saw no more
 of him Stood to the NNE - Lat 31-40 -
- Sat
 July 22 Strong wind East - and raged at night in all
 Close except M. Topsail and staysails - Squally -
 Latter part took in the waist boat and hoisted up
 the Quarter boats Squally and Raged No Obs - 150 -
- Sunday
 July 23 Strong gales at Elys and stormy - wore ship to the
 South - down N Ton Gyard Squally and Raged
 Lat - 32-30 - 148 $\frac{1}{2}$ -
- Mon
 July 24 Strong gales and Squally - continued raged
 Latter part stormy and a high swell we lying
 by head to the SSE - No Obs - Long - 147-40 -

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- Tues^d Strong gales at East and stormy weather —
July 25 Latter part wind died and shifted to NE - and North
Lat 31-40 - Lunar 148-20
- Wedn^d Moderate wind NW but a high swell from the
July 26 ENE - Saw a ship to the SE - stood to the NE
Latter part calm and flattery saw nothing
Lat 31-47 - Lunar 148-5 -
- Thurs^d Light airs West - stood to the NE - a very high sea on
July 27 Latter part saw whales and killed one employ^d towing
20 him to the ship No Obs - 148-20
- Fryday Light airs and calm at 2 PM took the whale to the ship
July 28 and cut upper side of his head but did not hook on -
the swell runs Mountain high - and we rode much
Latter part cut in the whale squally and spit rain -
21 wind SE - stood to the ENE - saw whales but so squally we
did not go after them employ^d trying No Obs - Long 148-2
- Sat^d Squally and spit rain stood to the ENE - employ^d trying
July 29 Latter part rain hard and strong gales put out
the fire and Lash^d up all the Cask on deck - by by with
Close reefed maintopsail very stormy - No Obs -
- Sunday hard gales and stormy - Latter part wind shifted
July 30 to the NE and cleared off we hove the remaining
blubber, over board and wash^d off stood to the Eastward
Lat 32-46 - Long 149-25 -
- Mon^d Strong wind NW and squally - saw nothing
July 31 Latter part stow^d down the Oil in the after hold -
Strong wind NW and raged Lat 33-16 - Long 150
- Tues^d Strong gales and raged we lying by head NE -
Aug 1 Latter part still stormy and raged Lat 33-1 - 151
- Wedn^d Strong wind NW stood to the SW - Short sail - Latter
Aug 2 part set double reefed topsails wind WSW stood
to the west Lat 32-46 - Long 151.

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Thurs^d Strong wind SW and cloudy stood to the South-
 Aug 3 Latter part strong wind and ruzed - Lat 31-36
 Long - 151-28

Fryday Strong gales and squally with hard showers of
 Aug 4 rain took in all to close reef Mopisail and stays
 wind WSW and very dark weather took in waist boat
 Latter part wind died some stood to the NW
 22 Lot the foresail saw a lone whale he went down
 and saw no more of him Lat - 31-24 - 151½

Sat^d Strong gales SW and ruzed at night in foresail
 Aug 5 Latter part still ruzed and stormy - saw
 23 a lone whale but too ruzed to lower for him
 Lat - 32-16 - 152

Sun^d Strong gales and ruzed we lying by -
 Aug 6 head NW - Latter part - stood to the South -
 Lot the topsails Lat - 32-22 - Lunar 151½

Mon^d Strong wind West. Saw a ship to the East
 Aug 7 Latter part Repair^d the fore topsail -
 Lat 31-50 Lunar 150½

Tues^d Moderate wind West - spoke the Phoenix -
 Aug 8 stood to the South - Latter part light wind -
 but a high swell from NW saw Nothing
 Lat 30-55 - Lunar 151-50

Wedn^d Light wind West - at 6 stood to the NW
 Aug 9 Latter part calm Repair^d the foresail -
 Lat 30-42 - Long 152

Thurs^d Calm at 3 PM saw a lone whale and Chad -
 Aug 10 but could not find him - Latter part calm
 saw Nothing Lat - 30-42 Long - 152-20
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- Fryday Calm and very hot weather - Saw Nothing.
- Aug 11 Latter part Saw a lone whale and killed him
25 at 10 took him to the Ship - employ Cutting -
No Obs - Long - 152 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Satd Light wind WSW at 4 PM finished Cutting -
employ trying - Latter part light wind SW
- Aug 12 Saw a Ship to the leeward Lat - 31-9 - Long - 152-20
- Sund Light wind SW Saw a lone whale to the windward
- Aug 13 Struck and killed him stove one boat at 6 took
26 the stowen up and Cabled the whale - Shifted -
the stowen boat - and employ trying -
Latter part cut in the whale Saw 3 Ships to the SW -
No Obs - Long - 152-25 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Mond Light wind SSW stood to the West - employ trying -
- Aug 14 Latter part - Calm and very warm Lat - 31-30 -
Long - 152-15 -
- Tuesd. Light wind and calm finish trying and -
- Aug 15 Saw a lone whale and killed him stove one boat
27 badly - at 11 took the Reek aboard and Cabled the whale.
Latter part stowd off the main hold - and began Cutting
- Wedn. Light airs SE - Cut in body and let the head lay along
- Aug 16 Side - employ trying - Latter part stowd the Co oil
in the After hold and trying on the body -
- Thursd Light wind and calm at 4 PM cut in the big head
- Aug 17 employ trying - Lat ~~32-13~~ 13 - Long 15 152 $\frac{1}{2}$ -
Stood to the NE - a high swell from the SE - at 3
AM finished trying Latter part Coopered the Co oil
Lat 32-29 - 153 -
- Fryday Light wind at East - at 4 PM saw a lone whale and
- Aug 18 Chas? but he went off stood to the South, Latter part
28 stowd down in the fore hold Squally and a high swell
No Obs - Long 153 East
- Satd Light wind SE - Stood to the SW - finished stowing.
- Aug 19 Latter part Light and baffling with a high
swell set up some Shooks Lat. 32-57 - Long - 153 $\frac{1}{2}$

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Sunday Light wind N E and East steard to the South
Aug 20 Saw Nothing like whales Latter part spoke the
Phoenix Calm Lat 31-57 - Long - 150 -

Monday Calm and clear saw Nothing - Latter part
Aug 21 Saw whales and Chas? Struck and parted the line
29 the whale went of to the windward - No Obs -

Tues^d Light wind WNW Chas? whales till night could
Aug 22 Not strike hove to - head to the SW - Latter part -
Employ^d Mending the Larboard stoven boat -
30 at - 9.30 AM Saw a lone whale and struck and killed
him at 12 took him along Side - No Obs -

Wed Strong wind WNW - and NW cut the head off and
Aug 23 body in - employ^d trying Latter part squally
and and ruzed cut in the head - employ^d trying
Lat - 31-45 - Long - 150 -

Thurs^d Strong wind N E and squally stood to the NW -
Aug 24 trying Latter part finish^d trying -
Lat 32-18 - Long 148 $\frac{1}{2}$

Fry^d Strong wind at East Cooper - the Cold oil and got
Aug 25 up some shooks Latter part stow^d down the
oil in the after hold - Lat - 33-01 Long - 148 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sat^d Moderate wind and cloudy finish^d stowing
Aug 26 at 4 PM Saw whales and Chas? but could not strike
31 Latter part stood to the SSE - Strong wind in Bay
Lat - 32-30 - Long 148 -

Sund Strong wind and Ruzed stood to the SSE -
Aug 27 Latter part saw whales and Chas? far to windward
could not strike No Obs 148 $\frac{1}{2}$
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- Mon^e Light wind and squally at 2 saw whales
Aug 28 Chas. till night could not strike - whales ~~in~~
33 Latter part saw small whales and killed 2 took them
to the ship and cut them in Lat 31-53 - 149 -
- Tues Light wind at 6 V E and a high sea from the
Aug 29 S E - stood to the S E - trying - Latter part furnish
trying. Set up some Shooks Lat 31-15 149-10
- Wedn^e Strong wind E N E stood to the North saw a sail to
Aug 30 the windward. Latter part strong gales and dark
took in all to close except topsail - and staysail
Lat - 32-7 - 149 -
- Thurs^e Strong gales E N E and a high swell from S E
Aug 31 we lying by head to the S E - in waist boat and took
up the Quater boats, down M T G yard - Latter part
heavy gales N N E and North in a hard squall
split the M Topsail took it in and by by with
staysail only very stormy No Obs - 148-50
- Friday Heavy gales and very stormy - at 4 P M Clear
Sep 1 off some but still blows hard - Latter part
wind died and sea falls - bent a new M Topsail
and Repair^d the Sprinker saw Nothing - Lat 32-28.
- Sat^e Moderate wind NW stood to the North -
Sep 2 Latter part spoke the Phoenix 2400 - Steard to
the East - saw Nothing - wind SSW - and cloudy -
No Obs - 150 1/2
- Sunday Strong wind SSW - Steard East - at night hove to
Sep 3 head to the S E - Latter part saw a shoal of low
whales and killed 3 - emp^y boy getting them to the
34 Ship - the Phoenix fishing too - Squally and
unsteady weather - No Obs -

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Mon^d Squally wind NE - at 3 PM took the whale
Sep 4 to the ship and cut them in employ clear
the heads ~~and~~ and trying - Latter part stood
the SE - blowing strong Lat: 32-02 - 150 $\frac{1}{2}$

Tues^d Strong gales NE and raged employ trying -
Sep 5 standing to the SE - Latter part finished -
trying stood to the Northward - Lat: 31-42 151

Wedn^d Strong wind East - saw a dead whale and cut
Sep 6 out 3 frows the whale was spoilt - Cooper^d the
oil - Latter part stood down in the fore hold
No Obs - 151-20

Thurs^d Light wind and fine weather - finished stowing
Sep 7 stood to the NE - saw Nothing - Latter part
35 saw a lone whale and gave chase - at 11 struck
and killed him. far off and calm employ towing
the whale to the ship - No Obs - 151-25

Fryday Calm and Clear at 4 PM took the whale to the ship.
Sep 8 and cut off his head - by by - Latter part finish
Cutting and employ trying Light airs SE - Lat 32 $\frac{1}{2}$
Lunar 151-25

Sat^d Light wind South and Clear employ trying -
Sep 9 at 5 PM saw a lone whale and struck him but
36 draw^d and he went off stood to the SE employ -
trying strong wind blowing in squalls with
rain Lat: 31-57 - Long: 151 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sund^d Strong wind SW - stood to the west - finish^d.
Sep 10 trying - Latter part rain and squally stood to the
SE - No Obs - Long: 152 -

Mon^d Squally and rain stow^d down the oil in the fore
Sep 11 hold. Latter part wind NE - stood one way and
the other - Lat 31-25 - Long 151 $\frac{1}{2}$

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Tues^d
Sep 12 Moderate and cloudy saw and spoke the ~~Dawn~~
Butler of New York - stood to the N by W - in Com
Latter part in mid N E - and S E - saw Nothing -
Lat - 30-38 - Long - 152

Wedn^e
Sep 13 Light wind stood to the E N E. the Dawn in Com
put. some letters on board - and took two Kanakas
from the Dawn to work their passage to the
Sandwich Islands - Latter part stormy and
hard rain - in all to maintopsail and staysail
wind SW and WSW - in waist boat and up quarter
boats - No Obs - Long - 152 1/2

Thurs^d
Sep 14 Strong gales and stormy down top E yard -
Latter part - hard rain and stormy - at 10 -
steard N E - saw many whales and hove to -
37 in hopes of better weather - Lat - 32-18 - 153

Friday
Sep 15 Stormy and heavy dark looking weather - saw
3 Ships to the N E at 4 PM wind at N - and rain
Latter part stormy and hard gales - No Obs

Sat^d
Sep 16 Strong gales at N - and clear^d off some -
saw whales but too ruzed to do any thing -
Latter part wind died but a very high sea -
part fore topmast backstay and spliced it so it lay
again wind East - stood to the South Lat 32-38

Sunday
Sep 17 Light wind East but squally and ruzed sea
at Night stood to the N N E - Latter part stood
to the South - saw Nothing Lat 32-25 - 153

Mon^d
Sep 18 North wind S E - and hazy stood to the S W -
Latter part - wind SW saw whales and struck
the sounding and drawed up Chad - Long but could
not strike - No Obs - 153-10

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Tues^d Strong wind SW- Spoke the Plater -
Sep 19 took in to Close reef topsail and foresail
at night in foresail - - Latter part wind
WSW- and ded some Lat 31-34 - 153 $\frac{1}{2}$

Wedn^d Strong gales at West- and a high swell -
Sep 20 at 4 PM stood to the NVW- the Planter in com
Latter part saw whales but they went off
to windward - stood to the SE- Lat 31-19 - 153

Thurs^d Moderate wind SW and fair weather -
Sep 21 Latter part stood to the NVW saw Nothing -
Lat 31-19 - Lunar 153

Friday Strong wind SW- stood to the SW- saw
Sep 22 nothing Latter part - wind SSW saw a lone
whale and he went off to windward -
No Obs -

Sat^d Strong wind SSW- and raged stood to the SSE
Sep 23 the Planter in company Latter part hard squall
of rain and wind at South - No Obs - Long 152 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sun^d Strong wind at South - stood to the East Latter
Sep 24 part - Squally saw whales but a hard squall come
and when it was over the whales was bound off
39 Quick to windward we chas^d but could not catch them
Very squally and much rain No Obs - 152 $\frac{1}{2}$

Monday Squally and rain - wind shifting all round
Sep 25 the Compass at Night hove to - Latter part
40 Strong wind SW- and South saw whales and Chac^d
but could not strike, Squally and spit rain -
took in all to Close reef Main topsail and
Staysail in Waist boat and hoisted up the dust
boats - Very stormy - No Obs

Off Japan

Tuesday hard gales and much rain at 4 PM
Sep 26 In Main topsail and wore ship to the SW
at 8 blowing heavy and a high swell blow down
the fore topmast staysail - we let her lie with no
sail ship much water and washed off some of
the bulworks but luckily recd. no serious damage
Latter part wind died some wore ship to the
SSE - and set M Tail and foresail - bent a
new staysail - and cleared up the scroops -

Lat - 32-16 - 153 -

Wed.

Sep 27 Squally wind WSW and West and hard rain
at 8 Calm and rain saw whales all round the
ship Latter strong wind NE - and dark weather
41 Saw whales and killed one took him to the ship
but too rugged to cut - No Obs - 153 -

Thurs Strong wind ENE and stormy we lying by
Sep 28 the whale in hopes to have better weather to
morrow - took in the waist boat and up Quarter
boats - at 8 broke the rings in the Chinch of
the Chain and away went the whale strong
gales and stormy - Latter part wind SE - SSE
but a high sea and spit rain Lat 32-20 - 155 -

Fryday Strong wind and dark weather stood to the East -
Sep 29 Latter part strong gales and clear - set the
Foresail stood to the ESE - Lat 32-33 - 153 1/2

Sat Strong gales and rugged wind South -
Sep 30 Latter part - blowing hard and a high sea
from the West - Lat - 32-17 - 154 1/2

Sund Strong gales SSW at 4 PM steared off by N at 6 PM
Oct 1 wind at NNW - and a high swell from the West and
rain Latter part wind N by E steared to the E
No Obs - Long 155 1/2

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- Mon^d Strong wind NNE - and Cloudy Steared to
 Oc. 2 Eastward saw Nothing Latter part saw whales
 42 and struck one but the 2 Iron cut of the line
 and we chad - long but could not strike and
 directly the wind breake, on too raged for -
 whalling stood to the North Lat-31-29-156 -
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- Tues^d Strong gales E by N at night hove too and
 Oc 3 in waist boat Stormy weather Latter part
 wind died some - saw whales and killed 2 small
 43 Cows - took them along side Noobs - 156 -
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- Wedn^d Strong wind SE and clear cut in the whales and
 Oc 4 employ^d trying stood to the ENE - Latter part
 Finnish^d trying and Cooper^d the Oil, set it down between
 decks, in hopes to get some more, Calm and very warm
 Lat-31-59 - Lunar 156 1/2
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- Thurs^d Calm and a high sea from the SE - saw No whales
 Oc 5 Latter part Light wind SE - saw Nothing
 Lat 31-53 - Lunar 157 1/2
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- Fryday Light wind SE and Cloudy Steared by the wind
 Oc 6 to the ENE - No whales Latter part wind
 SW and SW and squally Steared E by N -
 Lat 31-35 - Long - 160
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- Sat^d Strong wind SW and squally - at 4-30 - saw whale
 Oc 7 and struck but draw^d and so near night and blowing
 44 Strong we gave it up Steared E by N -
 at 10 PM spoke the John Daget - 800 - wind
 NW and N by E - Latter part strong wind and fog
 No Obs - Long - 160 1/2
-
- Sunday Strong wind and fog - wind NE - at 6 PM
 Oc 8 stood to the NNW Latter part strong wind and rain
 blowing hard took in to close reef M. Topsail and
 Staysail No Obs - Long 160 20

• Borend to the East from Japan

Mon Strong gales NE. Latter part - saw whales and
Oc 9 chas. but the whales is very wild - wind died some
No Obs - Long - 160 -

Tues Strong wind ENE - saw whales struck and parted
Oc 10 the line - chas. till night could not catch them -
Latter part strong wind SE - saw whales but
4.5 could not strike - wind blowing on stormy - took
in accordingly - no encouragement to stay hear
Continually stormy - and whales wild - Lat $32\frac{1}{2}$
Long 160

Wedn Strong gales SSE - and stormy we got all snug
Oc 11 and by by - head to the East, at 12 wind SW and West
Cask Bred Stead E by N - Latter part strong gales NW and stormy
Stead East - Lat - 33-32 - Long 162-10

Thurs Strong gales NW and a sharp sea Stead E by S -
Oc 12 Close reef - topsails and foresail - Latter part
wind died and shifted NNE - set sail accordingly
Lat 32-40 Long 165 - East -

Fryday Moderate wind NNE - a high swell from the
Oc 13 NW - Stead by the wind to the East Latter part wind
WSW saw whales and chas. but they went too fast
Lat - 32-15 Long - 166-2

Sat Light wind West - Shifted the fore and Mizzen
Oc 14 topsails. Stead by N Latter part wind NW
and N by E - blowing strong - double reef the
topsails - Lat - 31-56 - Long - 169 - East -

Sunday Strong gales at NNE - and cloudy - Stead by the
Oc 15 wind - to the East, Latter part - wind NE - and
a high sea from the NW Lat - 31-16 - Long - 170

Monday Strong wind ENE - at 6 PM stood to the North
Oc 16 Latter part calm saw whales struck but come lose -
4.6 chas. long but could not catch them No Obs - Long
170

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Tuesday Calm and light airs NNW and North saw whales
 Oc 17 and chas^d far off but could not come up with them
 Latter part stow^d down the little fair of oil in the
 47 fore hold - light wind NW and cloudy Lat-31-17 170^W

Wedn^d Light wind NW at 3 PM wind NNE and blowing
 Oc 18 on quick took in sail to close reef M^topsail and
 foresail steard to the east. Latter part wind
 NE. and ruzed Lat-30-25- Long^e-171¹/₂ E

Thurs^d Strong gales and ruzed at at 6 PM Steard to the
 Oc 19 NNW Latter part, wind died some - employ
 Repairing the Maintopsail Lat-30-48- 172-

Fryday Small wind ESE and calm with a high sea
 Oc 20 Latter part calm employ^d Repairing sails -
 Lat-30-22- 172-

Sat 21 Calm and clear saw nothing. Latter part light
 wind SW- Lat-31-40- Lunar-174 E-

Sunday Light wind WSW and Clear saw Nothing
 Oc. 22 Latter part Ditto, Lat 31-42- Lunar 175¹/₂

Mon^d Light wind WSW- and clear steard ENE
 Oc 23 Latter part- wind SW employ^d repairing the
 stoven boat- Lat-31-47- Long^e-177¹/₂ East-

Tues^d Brisk wind SW Steard ENE - saw No whales -
 Oc 24 Latter part strong wind SW employ^d mending
 boat. Lat-32-32- Lunar 179-20 West-

Wedn^d Brisk wind SW Steard E by N - ruzed - Latter
 Oc 25 part strong gales and squally wind shifted to
 North and Blowing hard a high Sea on
 Lat. 32-28- 176¹/₂ West - 56

From Japan to the Sandwich Islands

- Thurs^d
Oct. 26 Strong gales at N by E. Steard East by compass close
recept topsail stormy and ruzed high sea - Latter
part wind NE and cloudy Lat 31-41 - 175 W -
- Fryday
Oct 27 Strong gales NE - and stormy Steard by the wind to
Latter part wind ENE - and cloudy with fine
rain No Obs - Long 174 $\frac{1}{2}$ West -
- Sat
Oct 28 Strong wind and stormy at Mord stood to the N -
Still ruzed and stormy - Latter part wind SE
and SE. employ^d about the old boat - -
Lat 31-29 - 174 West -
- Sun^d
Oct 29 Strong wind at SE - and a high sea from the NE -
Steard ENE - Latter part wind died some -
Lat - 32-05 - Long 172 $\frac{1}{2}$ W -
- Mon^d
Oct 30 Moderate wind SE Steard by the wind ENE -
Latter part wind at SE and ESE - Steard by the
wind employ^d - mending the boat - Lat - 32-47 - 171 $\frac{1}{2}$ W -
- Tues^d
Oct 31 Moderate wind ESE - and smooky Steard by the wind -
Saw Nothing - and head wind we git along slow -
Latter part light wind ESE - and hazy Lat 33-26
Long - 170 $\frac{1}{2}$ -
- Wedn^d
Nov. 1 Light wind ESE - and smooky Steard by the wind
NE - employ^d About the boat. Saw Nothing - Latter
part calm and a high swell from the SE - Lat 34-4
Long - 170 W -
- Thurs^d
Nov. 2 Calm and light airs at ESE - employ^d about the
rizing Latter part light wind SE - bent the New
Mainsail and set him Lat - 34-03 - Long - 169 W -
- Fryday
Nov 3 Light wind SE - Steard East - Latter part strong
wind South Steard ESE - Lat 33-51 - Lunar 161-42
- Sat^d
Nov 4 Light wind Sly W and SSW Steard S by E - Latter
part wind very light Lat 32-32 - Lunar 159-44

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- Sunday Calm Saw Nothing- Latter part light airs
 Nov 5 S E- and S S E- Lat- 32-15 Lunar 158-38- West-
- Mon Calm and very smooth Saw Nothing- Latter part
 Nov 6 light wind South- and squally Lat 31-56- 158-
- Tues Brisk wind and squally with showers of rain
 Nov 7 Stead by the wind E by S Latter part squally -
 and ruzed Lat- 31-13- Long- 156 -
- Wedn Strong wind at South and spit rain Stead by the wind
 Nov 8 Latter part hard rain, wind shifted NW and
 died away Lat- 30-13- - Long- 154-40
- Thurs Strong wind N by E- and ruzed Stead S by E -
 Nov 9 Latter part- Strong wind N N E- Lat- 27-25- 154-40
- Fryday Strong wind N N E- Stead S by E- Latter part
 Nov 10 ditto - Squally Lat - 24-46- Long- 155 W-
- Sat Strong wind N N E- Stead South at 8 PM Stead
 Nov 11 S W Blowing Strong- Latter part- Saw Whahoo
 Could Not weather it Stead off for the west End-
 Lat- 21-59 -
- Sunday Strong wind N N E. at 6 PM was of the NW point
 Nov 12 of Whahoo, hauled up the Chain and bent it to the
 anchor Stead along shore for the SW point off
 Whahoo - about 2 leagues from the shore -
 Saw whales 47 times during the
 season on Japan

24
47
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From the Sandwich Islands bound to the
Southward

Dec 31 Strong trade wind at 10 AM weigh'd and sail'd
from the harbour of Hanakoua for the
Southern Whale ground, at 10-30 discharge'd -
the pilot and Steers by the wind S E -

Mon 1 Strong trades and ruzed on bent the cables
and stow'd the Anchors Steers by the wind -
1827 Latter part wind light and unsteady - employ'd
repairing the old boat - saw the highland of Owhyhe
E N E - 20-leagues - No Obs - Long - 157 W -

Tues Jan 2 Light wind and unsteady Steers by the wind to
the Southward - Latter part - saw whale and
1 killed 2, took them along side and got ready for
cutting No Obs - Long - 156-40 -

Wed Jan 3 Squally and a high sea, cut in the whales -
employ - trying - Latter part saw whales and
2 Chas. but could not strike, saw Owhyhee E by N
20 leagues - No Obs - Long - 156-30 -

Thurs Jan 4 Calm and a high sea finish'd trying - set up
some shooks - Latter part light airs at Wed the
SW point of Owhyhe East - 10 leagues -

Fryday Jan 5 Light wind at W N W saw whales and killed 2
Cut in one of them and by by the other - Calm
at night the SW point E by N 8 leagues -
Latter part Cut in the other whale and em-
ployed trying one canoe came off from the
SW part of Owhyhe, Calm the point East
4 leagues -

Sat Jan 6 Calm - and a high sea at 6 PM Strong trades
double reef't the topsails Steers by the wind
to the S E - at 10 in fore and misentopsails
Latter part finish'd trying Owhyhe
N N E 20 leagues - Lat 17-50 - Long - 156

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- Sunday
Jan 7 Strong gales and ruzed sot some of the
Oil down between decks and lash^d the rest
on deck Steard by the wind S & by E -
Latter part Strong wind and ruzed
Lat 17-8 - Long 155- $\frac{1}{2}$
- Mon
Jan 8 Strong gales and ruzed Steard by the
wind, S & - Latter part wind died sot
all sail - Lat - 16-6 - Long - 155-20
- Tues
Jan 9 Strong wind E & N & East - Steard by the
wind. Latter part stow^d down the Oil in the
fore hals - Lat - 14-28 - Long - 155 -
- Wed
Jan 10 Small wind E & N & Steard by the wind S & -
Latter part sot up some shooks - Lat 13-48 - 154 -
- Thurs
Jan 11 Light wind E & N & - and Calm saw Nothing -
Latter part employ^d setting up shooks -
Lat - 12-48 - Long 152 -
- Fryday
Jan 12 Light wind and a high swell from the
N & - Steard by the wind S & - Latter part
3. Saw whales and chas long struck and killed
one the others was off, took him to the
Ship and cut him in Lat 11-41 - 152 -
- Sat.
Jan 13 Brisk trades stood to the S & E trying -
at night Saw more whales far off finnis
4 trying Latter part stood to the North - -
Lat - 11-17 - 151-40
- Sund
Jan 14 Brisk wind and clear saw Nothing - at 4
stood to the S & - Latter part Light wind -
Saw Nothing Lat 10-33 - 151- $\frac{1}{2}$

Bound towards the Equator

- Mon Jan 15 Light wind East - and a high swell Steard by the wind S E - Saw Nothing - Latter part Strong wind - Saw Nothing Lat 9-04 - Long 152
- Tues Jan 16 Brisk wind S E - and Squally Steard by the wind S W Latter part ditto Lat 7-59 Long 153
- Wed Jan 17 Brisk wind and clear at 2 P.M. Stead to the N E Saw Nothing - Latter part - Light wind - Lat 8-48 - Long 153
- Thurs Jan 18 Brisk wind E S E Stead to the South - at 6 recpt the topsails - Latter part Squally and ruged - Lat 7-22 - Lunar 152.45
- Fryday Jan 19 Squally and ruged with a coble sea - at 10 P.M. hard squalls in fore and Mizzen topsails - Latter part Squally with much rain and a high Sea No Obs - Long - 153 -
- Sat Jan 20 hard gales and stormy in foresail at 2 P.M. Set the foresail again - Stormy weather - Latter part Squally and Ruged Lat 6-32 - 152
- Sunday Jan 21 Strong gales and hard squalls Set Close recpt topsails - Latter part much Rain with Lightning and thunder No Obs - Long - 151-30
- Mon Jan 22 Squally and ruged - unsteady stormy weather - Latter part Moderate Some set 2 recpt topsails - wind E N E - Lat 3-11 N Lunar 151 1/2
- Tues Jan 23 Brisk wind and Squally hazy weather - Steard by the wind N E - Latter part Set all sail Saw Nothing Lat 1-20 N Lunar 151-25
- Wed Jan 24 Squally and Showers of rain - Steard by the wind S by E - Latter part - Clear Stow down the little fair of oil in the after hold - Latter part Lat. In 0.375 - Long - 151 -

March 1827

- Thurs^d Moderate wind East - Steard by the wind
 Jan 25 S. E. all sail set - Saw Nothing like whales
 Latter part brisk wind and clear Lat 2-49
 Long 150-45
- Fryday
 Jan 26 Strong wind E. N. E. and clear Steard by the
 wind S. E. by S - Latter part ditto Lat 4-36
 Long 150-10
- Sat^d
 Jan 27 Brisk trades and clear. Saw Nothing like
 whales - Steard by the wind S. E. - Latter
 part strong trades and ruzed Saw Nothing
 like whales Lat 6-26 - Long 150- -
- Sunday
 Jan 28 Strong trades and ruzed - at 4 P.M. stood to the
 Nby E. - Latter part ruzed Sharp Sea on -
 Lat - 5-18 - Long - 149-45
- Mon^d
 Jan 29 Strong trades and ruzed Steard by the wind
 Nby E. - Saw No whales - Latter part strong
 wind and ruzed - in Jyb and Mainsail
 Lat 3-19 - Long - 149 1/2
- Tues^d
 Jan 30 Strong gales and ruzed at 2 P.M. Saw whale
 and killed several save two and took them
 4 to the Ship by by - Very ruzed, Latter part -
 Cut in the whales stood to the Nby E employ^d
 trying Lat 2-52 S. - Lunar 149-45 -
- Wedn^d
 Jan 31 Strong gales and ruzed - employ^d - trying -
 Latter part furnished trying stood to the
 S. E. - Lat - 3-20 - 149-50 -
- Thurs^d
 Feb 1 moderate trades at M.V. saw a dead whales
 at 2 took him along side and cut him in -
 stood to the S. E. trying - Latter part furnished
 trying stood to the S. E. Lat 3-30 - Long 150 -

Cruising about Line

- Fryday* Moderate wind and Clear coopered some of
Feb, 2 Cod. oil - Standing to the NNE - Saw Nothing -
Latter part stow^d down the oil in the after hold
Stood to the SSE - Lat - 2:11S - Lunar 149-45 W -
- Sat*^d Strong trades and squally - Steard by the wind SSE
Feb, 3 Latter part strong gales and ruzed stood to the
NNE - Lat 2:35 Long 149½
- Sunday* Strong gales and ruzed at 6 PM Stood to the
Feb 4 SE - Latter part blowing strong Lat - 3:25
Lunar 150½
- Manday* Strong gales and stormy - at 6 Stood to the Nby E
Feb 5 Latter part stood to NNE - yet - Saw Nothing
Lat - 3:01 Long 150½
- Tues* Strong wind and cloudy Saw Nothing
Feb 6 Latter part wind died some Lat - 1:43S -
Long - 151
- Wedn*
Feb 7 Brisk trades and cloudy no whale -
at 6 PM Stood to the SSE - Latter part - more
Lat - 2:36 - Long - 151-20
- Thurs* Nord trades and cloudy Steard by the wind
Feb 8 South - Saw Nothing - Latter part - Stood to the
Nby E - Lat 3:36 - Long - 151½
- Fryday* Strong trades and squally Steard by the wind
Feb 9 Nby E Latter part - Strong trades and ruzed
Lat - 1:38 Long 151 -
- Sat*^d Strong trades and ruzed Steard by the wind
Feb 10 Nby E Latter part Brisk wind and Clear
Lat 27N Long - 151-20
- Sun* Strong trades and Clear Steard by the wind -
Feb 11 Latter part ditto Lat 27N Long - 151

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Monday Brisk trades and flying clouds Steered by the
Feb 12 wind NNE Latter part brisk trades —
Lat - 4° 24' N - Long - 150° 45'

Tuesd. Moderate trades and hazy Steered by the
Feb 13 wind NNE - Latter part - Squally and
ruzed 2 reefed the topsails No Obs - 151 -

Wedn. Strong gales and squally - with a high
Feb 14 Sea Latter part - ditto Lat 7-30 - 151½

Thursd. Strong trades and stormy - Latter part
Feb 15 Squally and ruzed Lat 8-42 - Long - 152

Fryday Strong trades and stormy with a high sea
Feb 16 Latter part thick and much rain and hard
Squalls - No Obs - Lat by Acct, 10 - Long - 152½

Satd. Strong trades and squally dark and rain —
Feb 17 Latter part hard gales and rain —
No Obs, Long - 153 —

Sunday Squally and rain with a high sea very
Feb 18 dark weather, and much rain, Latter part
wind SE and rain Lat 11-54 Long 153

Mond. Dark and rain wind SE - Steered by the
Feb 19 wind to the NE Stormy Latter part unsteady
wind from NE to SW - Lat 12-33 - 153

Tuesd. Squally and a high sea from ENE —
Feb 20 Latter part calm and cloudy —
Lat - 12° 48' Long - 153° 20'

Bound to the Sandwich Islands

- Wedⁿ Calm and a high swell from the NE.
- Feb 21 Latter part wind N by E - Stead by the wind
E by N - Lat 12-52 Long - 153
- Thurs^d Light wind NE - and squally - with rain -
- Feb 22 Latter part Clear for the first time for a
number of days - Lat - 12-48 - Long 150-
- Fryday Light wind N - and cloudy Stead to the ENE
- Feb 23 Latter part light wind and Calm saw Nothing
Lat 12-51 - Long - 150
- Sat^d Light wind NNE - Stead to the NW Shifted
- Feb 24 the foresail Latter light trades Stead N -
Lat - 14-17 - Long - 150
- Sunday Moderate trades and flying clouds - Stead
- Feb 25 N - all sail on - Latter part Stead NNW
Lat - 16-55 Long - 150
- Mon^d Moderate trades and fair weather -
- Feb 26 Stead NNW Latter part Stead NW set up
some Shooks, Lat - 18-50 - Long - 151 -
- Tues^d Moderate trades and a high swell from
- Feb 27 WNW - Stead WNW - at 6 Stead West
at 8 Stead W by S - Latter part squally wind
South and SSW hard squalls and rain Stead
to the SE - No Obs - Long - 153-20

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- Wedn^d Feb 28 Strong squalls from SSW - at 6 Clear and
light wind - South - and SW stood to the NW
Lat 19° 37' - Long - 153 -
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- Thurs^d Mar 1 Moderate ~~the~~ wind SW - at 2 saw whales and
Chase; but they run so fast could not catch them
at 6 took up the boats stood to the SE - short sail
Latter part wind at West Lat - 18-47 - 151
P. Lunar
- Fryday Mar 2 Strong wind NW and raged - Steard by the wind
WSW - Latter part wind NW by N stood to the
NE - a high swell from WNW Lat 18-25-152
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- Sat^d Mar 3 Strong gales NNW Saw a ship to the NW
at 2 P.M. stood to the West - very raged -
Latter part - wind N - and NE - Steard
by the wind Lat 18-50 - Long - 152-45 -
-
- Sund^d Mar 4 Strong wind and squally Steard W by N spoke
Ship Maria Theresa Willcox, Steard W 1/2 S
Latter part - at 9 A.M. Saw Oldhykee NW
Steard down the South side for the SW point
the Maria Therese far astern -
-
- Mon^d Mar 5 Brisk trades and cloudy at 6 P.M. pass -
the SW point at 8 was off the west point
3 leagues - Steard to the WNW - at 10 Calm
Latter part Light Airs and Calms - some
Canues off No trade the Land 3 leagues -

Sandwich Islands -

Tues^d Calm and smoky - no canoes off - Latter
Mar 6 part calm the land 10 miles - Saw the
Maria Theres - to the South - No trade -

Wed^d Calm and smoky at 6 PM the land 3 leagues
Mar 7 Latter part calm went on shore one boat
got a little - the land 3 leagues

Thurs^d Calm at 4 come on board the boat -
Mar 8 Latter part light airs and calm Karakakoa
by N E - 3 leagues -

Friday Light airs WSW steard along the shore to the
Mar 9 NW by N - at 6 the land half way from Kirua
to Karakakoa bay N E - 3 leagues - Latter
part - light airs from the SW and calm with
a high sea down the Passage - Saw 2 ships
and a Brig to the N E

Sat^d Calm and a tumbling sea Kirua point
Mar 10 S E by E - 4 leagues - at 12 took the wind down
the the passage from the N E - Steard NW -
at blow a hard gale took in all to Clope reef
main topsail and foresail Steard NNW till
6 AM then the East hill of Mowee bore
NNW 3 leagues - Steard off W by N - down by -
Towhoroa and for the South end of Rairi
at 12 Mtd. calm and a very high sharp sea
from the S E - Steard NW along by Rairi -

Sun^d Light Airs from the West - and a high sea
Mar 11 from the S E - at 6 PM took strong gales down
the passage between Rairi and Maroti -
Steard NW by W till 7 then hove to head to the
S E - had gales and a sharp sea stormy -
but Clear

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Wed
Mar 28 Moderate trades and fair weather at
11 A.M. weigh and sail from Woahoo harbor
and discharge the Pilot, Stead SW

Thurs
Mar 29 Brisk trades and hazy Stead WSW $\frac{1}{2}$ W, on bent
the cables and stow the Anchors - Latter part
rugged and high sea - Lat-20-25 Long-160-50

Fryday Strong trades and clear Stead WSW - fitted the
Mar, 30 boats - Latter part rugged and a high sea -
Lat-19-33 Long-163-25

Sat
Mar 31 Moderate trades but high sea on Stead
WSW - saw nothing, Latter part light trades
Lat 19-5- Lunar 166

Sunday Light trades and fair weather Stead WSW
Apr 1 Latter part Stead W by S - Lat 19-27 - Lunar 166 45

Mon. Light wind and clear Stead W by S - Latter
Apr 2 ditto - saw nothing Lat, 19-23 - Lunar 169-15

Tues Light trades and clear Stead W by S -
Apr, 3 Latter part ditto Lat-19-23 - Lunar 170-45

Wedn Light trades and flying clouds - Stead W by S
Apr 4 Latter part calm mended the fore top sail
Lat 19-15 Long-172-2

Thurs
Apr 5 Light airs and calm Latter part light wind
and very warm Lat-19-23 Lunar 173-10

Bound for Wakes Island

- Fryday Light trades and clear Stead Wby $\frac{1}{2}$ S —
Apr. 6 Latter part - Brisk trades and flying clouds
Lat 19-15 - Lunar 176 - W —
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- Sat^d
Apr 7 Brisk wind and squally Stead Wby S — Latter
part - Squally at 11 saw whales and gave battle
No obs - Long - 178-25 —
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- Sunday Strong trades and squally at 2 the boats returned —
Apr 8 with 2 cow whales - cut them in and stook 10 lbs
| S-E trying - saw no more - Latter part strong
trades and ruzed finished trying Lat - 18-11
Long - 178-10 —
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- Monday Strong trades and ruzed at 2 - P.M. Stead West
Apr 9 Latter part Ly by head to the S-E - and stow^d
down the oil hoisted up all the bread and stow^d
it between decks - one cask pipe heads 15-23 in
fore hold Starboard side - Lat 18-28 - 180
key of molasses —
-
- Tues^d Strong trades and ruzed at 2 P.M. Stead West
Apr 10 Latter part - Sol same shooks Lat 18-48 - 177 $\frac{1}{2}$ E —
-
- Wedn^d Strong wind and ruzed Stead W $\frac{1}{2}$ S - Latter part
Apr 11 Squally and ruzed Stead Wby S - Lat 19 ~~4~~ - 174 $\frac{1}{2}$ E —
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- Thurs^d Strong wind and squally Stead Wby S - Latter
Apr 12 part ruzed and stormy - Lat 18-49 - 171 $\frac{1}{2}$ E —
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- Fryday Strong gales and ruzed Stead West - at 6 P.M.
Apr 13 hove to head to the NW - Latter part Stead W —
Squally Lat - 19-21 - Long - 170 - East —
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- Sat^d Strong gales and squally Stead Wby $\frac{1}{2}$ S - at 6 hove
Apr 14 too head NNW - Latter part Stead - Wby N - Squally
Lat - 19-13 - Long - 168 $\frac{1}{2}$ -

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Sund 15 Strong trades and ruzed Steard Wby S - at 6 P
 April hove to head to the North. Latter part Steard
 Wby S - Saw Nothing Lat 19-04 Long 167 40 E

Monday Strong wind and squally Steard West - at 6 P M -
 Apr 16 hove too head to the North at 2 wove ship
 Latter part Steard Wby S - Lat - 19-08 - Long - 167 -

Tuesd. Strong trades and clear at 2 P M Saw Wakes -
 Apr 17 Island - NW - 2 leagues stood close in and sent
 a boat in found bad landing - stood off and In
 2 Latter part turned to windward at 9 A M sent
 in two boats for wood at M P the boats returned

Wedn Strong trades and squally employd wooding
 Apr 18 lying off and In with the ship - at 6 P M took
 up the boats and stood off - at 1 A M stood to the
 North - Latter part employd wooding -

Thurs Strong trades and ruzed at 6 took up the boats
 Apr 19 and stood off - at 1 A M stood In Latter part
 found strong lee current plyd to windward.
 at 10-30 sent the boats in for wood and fish -

Fryday Strong trades and squally at 5 the boats
 Apr 20 returned at 6 the SW part of the Island bore
 N N E - 6 miles, hove to head to the North -
 Latter part Steard Nby west Lat 19-45 - 166 E

Sattd. Moderate trades and clear at 6 stood to the
 Apr 21 S S E - short sail at midnight stood to the N by W -
 Latter part light wind Lat - 20 39 - Long - 166 52

The bark Libelle, (Brem.) Tobias, cleared from San Francisco Jan. 23, for Hong Kong via Honolulu, with the following cargo: 1 case cigars, 2,500 gr. sds. flour, 30 lbs hardware, 160 pkgs. old iron, 1,000 packs quicksilver, 1 cs. seeds, 2,000 lbs. wheat and 10 kegs of wine, value \$51,555 27, and \$33,543 06 in treasure, was totally wrecked on an uninhabited reef called Wake Island, March 4. Passengers and crew remained on the reef three weeks, when, finding no water, they started in the long-boat and gig for the Laysan Islands. The long-boat arrived but the gig, with the Captain and eight men, had not been heard from. A schooner had been sent in search of the missing boat and to bring away the treasure.

this ship Wreck
 occurred in 1866
 39 years after

From Wake Island to the NNW —

Sunday Light trades and clear steard NbyW —
Apr 22 Latter ditto — Lat-21-47 — Long-165-8 —

Monday Moderate trades and Showers of rain at 4
Apr 23 Clear steard NbyW Latter part sharp sea from
NNW and strong wind Lat 23-40 — 164-40

Tues^d Strong wind and ruzed steard by the wind
Apr 24 NNW Latter part Ruzed — Lat 25-10 — 164-10

Wedn^d Strong trades and ruzed at night in topsails
Apr 25 Latter part — Moderate and clear steard NbyW
Lat-26-39 — Long-164 —

Thurs^d Moderate trades and fair weather Saw Nothing
Apr 26 Latter part — Light wind N by E — Lat 28-7 — 163-40

Fryday Light wind N by E — and clear and very sooth —
Apr 27 Latter part steard WNW Saw finbacks but No sperm
whales — Lat-29-19 — Long-163 — East —

Sat^d Brisk wind and cloudy steard WNW at Night
Apr 28 hove too head SE — Latter part steard SW —
Lat-28-40 — Long-161½

Sund^d Strong trades and ruzed — at night hove too —
Apr 29 Latter part wind SE and light Lat-28-19 —
Long-161 — E

Mon^d Light wind SE — steard Wby S Latter part —
Apr 30 Sat same more shoos. Saw Nothing Lat 28-7 — 160

May, Light wind and fair weather steard Wby S —
Tues^d Latter part steard NW Saw whales and chad — far
to the windward struck and killed one at 11
A.M took him to the ship No Obs — Long 159½

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- Thurs
May 2 Moderate wind SE - Cut in the whale
and employ^d trying stood to the SSW -
Latter part stood to the N by E - finished
trying Cooper some of the oil Lat 27-38 -
Lunar 159-9 -
- Thurs
May 3 Light wind and clear Stead N by E - at Night
Stead West, saw nothing Latter part Stead NNW
Stow^d down the Oil in the run Lat. 29-04 - 158 $\frac{1}{2}$
- Frydag
May 4 Light wind and clear Stead N by E - Saw Nothing
Latter part - thick and hazy Stead NW Lat. 29-44
Long 157 $\frac{1}{2}$.
- Sat.
May 5 Light wind at SSW - Stead NW at night Stead
by the wind West - short sail, Latter part strong
wind SSW and spit rain Stead to the West -
Lat 30-00 Long 156 -
- Sunday
May 6 Strong wind SSW - and dark cloudy weather at 6
P.M took in to close reef M Topsail - head W -
Latter part wind WNW and NW Lat 30-29
Long 155-40
- Monday
May 7 Strong gales NW at 4 wore ship to the SW
Latter part spoke the Persia Barnard stood to
the NW in company, Lat. 30-17 - Long. 155 -
- Tues
May 8 Strong wind NE - and least and hazy stood to
the NE - Latter part, rized - No Obs -
- Wedn
May 9 Strong wind ESE - and rain Stead NW by N -
at night hove to, head to the East Latter part
hard rain and dark weather - Lat. 31-42 - 154 $\frac{1}{2}$

Off Japan Cruising

- Thurs
May 10 Thick with rain and fog - stood to the W or W
wind SW and dying fast - saw nothing - Latter
part wind West - stood to the South - set all the sail
to dry - Lat - 31-43 - Long 154-20
- Fryday
May 11 Brisk wind West - at night hove too head N
Latter part - stood to the SW - spoke the Ramble
worth - 1700 - steard to the SW in company -
Lat - 31 - Long - 154 -
- Sat^d
May 12 Brisk wind NNW steard West - Latter part
wind NE - and East thick and rain the Ramble
in company No Obs - Long - 153 -
- Sunday
May 13 Strong wind NE - steard NW - squally at 6 hove
to - head to the NNW - Latter part strong wind
NE - saw nothing Lat 31-36 - Long - 152-20
- Mon^d
May 14 Strong wind and flying clouds - at 2 steard West
Latter part - hard gales and raged wind East
Lat 31-29 - 150 -
- Tues^d
May 15 Strong gales at East - at 2 PM hove to head
to the South - thick flights of rain and stormy -
Latter part Rain and fog at 12 wind South and
died Lat - 30-56 - Long - 149 1/2
- Wedn^d
May 16 Moderate wind and fog with squalls of rain
Latter part - wind NW steard to the SSW
Lat - 31 - Lunar 149 -
- Thurs
May 17 Brisk wind NW - steard to the SSW - Latter
part - saw whales and struck one sounded
Draudd and parted - came lose and the whale
went off to windward No Obs - 149

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Fryday Brisk wind WSW- ply: to windward at 5
May 18 Saw the whales again 'chas. by Night Come
on could ^{not} catch him - hove to head SSE
Latter part Strong gales NW by by -
Lat-29-40 Lunar 149-24 1/2 -

Sat
May 19 Brisk gales NW and clear wind died some
Latter part saw whales and chas. but they
went of to windward very wild - Lat-29-50
Long-148 1/2 -

Sunday Brisk wind NW - at night stood to the NNE
May 20 Latter part moderate wind N saw nothing -
Lat-28-45 - Lunar 149 -

Mon^d Small wind N - stood to the East -
May 21 Latter part - wind East - and SE - Steady by
Brc the wind to the NE - Lat-29-15 - 149-20 -

Tues^d Light wind SSE - at 5 PM saw a Whale bound
May 22 to the NW very quick did not lower for him
4 Stood to the East - Latter part Strong winds
stood to the West - Lat-29-29 - Long-149 -

Wedn^d Strong wind South - and thick at 6 PM wind
May 23 West - and rain hove too head to the N -
5 Latter part Light wind WNW stood to the N -
at 11 saw whales and killed one 40 bbl bull No Ols

Thurs^d Light wind NW - took the whale to the ship and
May 24 Cut him in, stood to the North trying -
Latter part hard rain wind NE - at 10 stop rain
but thick and hazy No Ols - Long-149 1/2 -

Cruising off Japan

- Friday Strong wind NE - stood to the SE - fanned
 May 25 trying at 6 stood to the NE - thick and cloudy
 Latter part - stood down the Oil in the fore hold -
 No Obs. - Long - 149 - 20 -
- Sat
 May 26 Light wind ENE - and spit rain - stood to the N
 Latter part - fog and fine rain No Obs -
- Sun
 May 27 Light wind East - saw a lone whale and run
 for him Lost him in the fog at 3 PM saw him
 6 again and lost him in the fog at 6 Clear off -
 stood to the SSE - Latter part stood to the N
 Lat - 30 - 31 - Long 148 -
- Mon
 May 28 Light wind East - at 5 - saw a carcass at 6 saw
 7 a lone whale far to windward - to late - hove too -
 Latter part - fog stood to the SW - Lat 31 - 15 - 148 1/2
- Tues
 May 29 Light wind SE - fog - Latter part squally wind
 WNW and NW Lat - 31 - 40 Lunar - 150 1/2 -
- Wedn
 May 30 Strong wind NW stood to the SW took in Main
 topsail - saw jumpers - but no sperm whales -
 Latter part - wind VNW and a high sea on -
 Lat. 31 - 10 Long - 150
- Thurs
 May 31 Strong wind N set the foresail head to the West -
 Latter part calm Steard to the SW before the sun
 Saw Nothing - May all gone and no whales
 Lat - 30 - 50 - Long - 149 - 50
- Friday
 June 1 Light wind South stood to the WSW - Latter part
 hard gales and rain with a sharp sea on -
 No Obs. - Long - 149 - 20
- Sat
 June 2 Squally and rain wind SW and dying fast
 but a high sea on Latter part calm and cloudy
 Lat 30 - 37 - Long - 149 1/2
- Sunday
 June 3 Light wind West stood to the SSE - at 6 PM saw whales and
 pulled for them but saw no more of them - Latter part
 Spit rain and fog light wind South - stood to the W
 8 1/2 No Obs. - Long - 149 1/2

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Mon^d Rain and strong wind South saw whales —
 June 4 and Chas. till 5 — Struck and killed a cow —
 the rest was off. Cabled the old cow and by by
 9 Strong wind and ruzed thick weather
 Latter part cut in the whale and began trying
 very thick and rain at 10 hard rain put out the
 fire and by by wind SE — No Obs — Long — 149 $\frac{1}{2}$ —

Tues^d Thick and hard rain wind East — and N — at 4 PM
 June 5 Clear off wind NW and west — employ trying
 stood to the South — at 6 Cloudy and strong wind —
 Latter part — wind West and a high sea finnish trying
 Lat — 29 — 21 — — Long — 149 $\frac{1}{2}$ —

Wedn^d Brisk wind at W and NW saw a lone whale can
 June 6 killed him — at 4 took him along side cut his head —
 10 Nearly off and lash^d down the blubber to the ring bolt
 and by by — Latter part — finnish cutting and
 began trying — Lat. 28 — 43 — Long — 149 —

Thurs^d Light wind NE — stood to the NW — employ trying
 June 7 Latter part — wind East — and fair weather
 employ trying — Lat. 29 — 24 — Long — 149 —

Fryday
 June 8 Moderate wind ESE — stood to the NE — at 4 PM
 finnish trying — Latter part finnish stowing
 off the after hold — Light wind, and calm —
 Lat. 29 — 52 — Long — 149 $\frac{1}{2}$ —

Sat^d Light wind SE — and hazy — Latter part thick fog
 June 9 Sat up some shooks — No Obs — 150 —

Sun^d Light wind South — and fog — at night stood to the W —
 June 10 Latter part thick fog No Obs — 149 — 50

Mon^d Light wind SW and fog at 3 PM clear off calm
 June 11 Latter part fog fog — — — — 2

Off Japan

- Tues Calm wind fog at 1 PM Clear: off set all the sails
 Jun 12 to dry at 5 Saw a lone whale and chad. but Night
 11 Come on took a squall from the N N W and rain
 hove to head to the N E - Latter part - hard rain
 and squally wind E N E - No Obs - 150 -
- Wedn Brisk wind E N E - stood to the N Saw Nothing
 Jun 13 Latter part rain at 10 clear: off Saw many finbacks
 jumpers and killers. but no sperm whales -
 Lat. 30-09 - Long - 150 -
- Thurs 14 Brisk wind at East - at 4 PM stood to the S E -
 Latter part - stood to the N E - Lat 29-30 - Lunar 148
- Fry - Moderate wind at E. and fair weather Saw finbacks
 June 15 and porpoises - but No sperm whales - stood to the N E
 12 Latter part - Saw whales and chased but could not
 catch them Lat 29-59 - Long - 148-10 -
- Sat - Moderate wind E S E - stood to the N E - Saw many
 June 16 finbacks - Latter part fair weather Saw Nothing
 Lat - 30-29 - Lunar 148-38
- Sun Light wind S E - Steard by the wind E N E -
 June 17 Latter part - Light wind and calm Lat - 30-47
 Long - 149-19 -
- Mon Calm and cloudy Saw whales and chad. long time
 June 18 at 5-30 Struck and killed a wild bull at 10 took him
 13 along side - Latter part cut him in - stood to the East
 trying Saw Nothing Lat - 31-01 - Long - 149 1/2 -
- Tues Light wind South - stood to the East - trying
 June 19 Latter part finished trying - and cooper: some
 of the oil, Lat - 30-50 - Lunar 150-45 -
- Wedn Light wind S W - Steard E N E - saw nothing
 June 20 at night hove to. Latter part stow: down the oil
 fill: off the larboard side, fore hatchway
 Lat - 31-15 - Long - 150 1/2 -

Merica 1827

Thurs
June 21 Strong wind SW Stood to the NW at night hove to
head to the ESE - Latter part - Spoke the -
Enterprise Swain 7000 Stood to the SE in Co.
No Obs - Long 151

Fryday
June 22 Strong wind SW and Rain, hove to head to the
NW Latter part - strong wind NE - Stood to the
NNW in Co. with the Enterprise -
Lat 30-50 Long 150

Sat.
June 23 Brisk wind NNE - and NE - Stood to the NW
Latter part stood to the South - Saw 2 Sail to the
NE - at 10 Stood to the NNE - Lat 31-11 - 151

Sun
June 24 Brisk wind SSE - Spoke the Omega Tillton
Saw Nothing - Latter part - Spoke the Hector -
Norton - 350 - wind SSW - and SW - with rain
No Obs - 151-20

Mon
June 25 Brisk wind SSW - Stood to the NW at night Stood
to the South - at night hove too - Latter part wind
West - Stood to the SSW - Saw Nothing Lat 30-25 -
151-10

Tues
June 26 Light wind and a high sea Saw Nothing -
Latter part wind N Stood to the W - Lat 30-2
Long 151

Wean
June 27 Brisk wind N Stood to the East - Saw Nothing -
Latter part light wind and calm Lat 30-15
Lunar 151

Thurs
June 28 Bright wind and calm - Latter part wind SSW
and fair weather Steard NE - Saw Nothing -
Lat 30 - 152

Fryday
June 29 Light wind SSW Steard WSW - Latter part Calm.
Lat 30-43 Lunar 151-45

Cruising off Japan

- Sat Light wind and calm - saw Nothing -
 Jan. 30 Latter part - wind at East - saw a lone whale
 14 and chas. but could not catch him No Obs -
 Sun Brisk wind and hazy - at 1 PM saw whales and
 July 1 Chas struck and come lose chas. till Night -
 hove to - head to the N & E Latter part ruzed
 15 over thick fog with flight of rain Lat-31-24
 Long-151 1/2
 Mon Calm and a high sea from the East - at 6 PM
 July 2 strong wind SSW hove to head to the West -
 Latter part - spoke the Omega Tillton
 Lat-31-36 - Lunar 150-36 -
 Tues Brisk wind SE - stood to ENE - at night stood to
 July 3 the SSW - Latter part - strong wind saw finback
 Lat-31-30 - Long-150
 Wedn Strong wind SE and hazy at night stood to ENE
 July 4 Latter part - thick and hazy - Lat-31-32 - 151 -
 Thurs Strong wind SE - and ESE - stood to the ENE
 July 5 Latter part - stood to the SSW - saw Nothing -
 Lat-31-53 - Long-151 -
 Friday Brisk wind SE - and hazy - No whales - Latter
 July 6 part - strong wind and ruzed - Lat 31-15 - 150 1/2
 Sat Strong gales ESE - at night hove to - head to
 July 7 the South - Latter part - saw a sail to the wind
 still blowing strong and No whales - Lat 30-45 -
 150
 Sunday Strong gales - at ESE - and a high sea - stood to the
 July 8 SSW - Latter part stood to the NE - Lat-30-13 - 150
 Mon Strong wind ESE - at night spoke the Enterprise
 July 9 Latter part - squally and rain stood to the South
 Lat-31-20 - Long-149 1/2 -

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Tues^d Strong wind ESE spoke the Hector 850 —
 July 10 stood to the NE — Latter part — stood to the NE —
 in company with the Hector and Enterprise
 Lat — 31-41 Long — 149½ —

Wedn^d Strong wind E by S — at 1 PM saw the Enterprise
 July 11 take a lone whale — saw no more —
 16 Latter part fine weather saw Nothing —
 Lat 32-10 — 150 —

Thurs^d Moderate and fair weather — stood to the
 July 12 NE — Shifted the main topsail Latter part
 Calm saw a ship to the SW trying and another
 to the NNE trying — and no whales for us —
 Lat — 32-50 — Long 150 —

Fryday Calm employ^d repairing the Maintopsail —
 July 13 at night saw whale to the ESE — but sunset
 17 Latter part — saw a lone whale and chas^d he
 would stay down 1-25 — at 10 struck and killed him
 at Mr^d took him along side — No Obs — 150:20

Sat^d Light wind WNW — cut off the head and body
 July 14 in Chas^d. Another whale in company with
 18 the Enterprise could not strike — at night —
 by the head trying — Latter part cut in
 the head — employ^d trying Lat — 32-50 — Lunar
 150½

Sunday Light wind SW and NW stood to the South —
 July 15 Latter part saw a lone whale and chas^d till
 19 Noon could not catch him No Obs Long — 150½

Monday Light wind and Calm, broke up and took out the
 July 16 Shooks from the fore peak — and cooper^d some of the
 Oil. Latter part stow^d down the Oil Calm
 Lat — 32-35 — 151

Off the Coast of Japan

Tues. Light airs SW and calm with a high swell from
July 17 WSW - Saw a ship to the SE - Latter. mended
20 the foresail - Saw whales to leeward - and could
not find them again, saw Lynx among whales
run for him, and chased long time could
21 not catch them at 5 saw a lone whale and
killed him at 10 PM took him to the ship and
Ly by with him wind WSW and a high swell
from the SW - Cloudy -

Wedn. Strong wind WSW and raged we lying by the
July 18 whale - Latter part cut the head off and body
in - hard gales and squally parted the head rope
took in the waist boat - and lash^d up hard gales
and rain - No Obs - Long - 151

Thurs Strong gales at West - at 1 PM wind died and
July 19 Clear^d off Sot 2 reef^t and employ^d - trying
at 4 PM found the head - and roped it along
side and put the chain to it - brisk wind and
hazy - Latter part strong gales and raged -
22 Cut in the head - Saw a large shoal of small
whales killed one and took him along side -
the wind blowing on - very raged - No Obs - 151

Fryday Strong gales and stormy at 4:30 hook^d on the
July 20 Cow whale and cut her in, thick and stormy -
Latter part - firmer^d trying and lash^d up the O^r
Saw 2 ships to the SW - Lat - No Obs - 151-20

Sat. Strong gales and stormy took in the waist boat
July 21 and secured every thing for stormy weather -
Latter part moderated some stow^d down the oil -
Lat - 31-58 - 151 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sunday Strong gales SW and raged we lying by - Saw a ship
July 22 Stearing NE - Latter part still blowing raged
and a high sea Lat 32-19 - 151 $\frac{1}{2}$

Marica 1827

Mon^d Strong gales SSW and rain at 2 PM wind died
July 23 Saw 2 ships to the South - Set the forebail -
Latter part Calm set up some Shooks - Saw
whales far off to the Lev^e No Obs - Long - 152

Tues Light Airs SW and Calm chad. till Night but
July 24 could not strike - Latter part light wind. W
Stood to the West Saw Nothing - Lat - 32-9 152 -

Wedn Brisk wind SSW - Spoke the Lyra 2000 -
July 25 Latter part - Strong wind and ruzed - - -
Saw and spoke the John, Dayett 1600 -
Lat - 32-00 - Long - 152 -

Thurs Strong wind SSW - Stood to the West - saw whale
July 26 but they went like wild horses to windward
Latter part Squally Stood to East -
Lat 31-47 - Long - 153 -

Fryday Strong wind South Stood to the WSW in Co
July 27 with the John - Saw Nothing - Latter
part - Stood to the WSW - Lat - 31-47 - 152 1/2

Satth Strong wind - South Stood to the East - Spoke
July 28 the Clarkson - Allen - Stood to the SW in
Company - Latter part Spoke the Atlantic
Gardner 2000, Saw no whales - Lat 31-40 -
152 1/2

Sund Small wind and Cloudy - Saw no whales
July 29 Latter part Stood to the NE Saw a lone whale
and struck he sounded and drawd hard squalls
and a high sea from the South - hove too head to
the SSW No Obs - Long 153 -

Off Japan

Mon^o July 30 Strong wind SE - and squally hove to look in
the waist boat - a very high sea from the south
Latter part wind WNW and squally Lat 30-57

Tues^{day} July 31 Strong gales WNW - at 2 wind died fast -
Saw the Clarkson to the windward -
Latter part - Stead N by E - Saw several ship
under short sail - Lat - 31-52 - 153

Wedn^o Aug 1 Strong wind West - Stead N by E at 6.30 - Saw a lone
whale and chad but he went down and Night came
23 - hove to - Latter part squally stood to the South
Lat - 32-40 - Lunar - 153

Thurs^{day} Aug 2 Strong wind at west - stood to the SW - Saw No whale
Latter part spoke the Lyra Jay Lat - 32-40 - 153

Fry^{day} Aug 3 light wind W and fair weather - stood to the
SSW - Saw No whales - Latter part calm saw
Nothing Lat - 32 - Long - 153-25

Sat^{day} Aug 4 light wind at NWN and calm - Latter part
Brisk wind and hazy saw whales and struck 2
24 Large whales and a cow - they sounded and came
lose saved the cow at 12 M^o took her to the ship
Saw the Fortune at a distance -
Lat - 32 - 153 1/2

Sun^o Aug 5 Strong wind WNW cut in the whale and stood
the SW trying Latter part firmish trying
stood to the NNW Saw Nothing Lat 31-47 - 153 1/2

Mon^o Aug 6 Light wind West - stood to the NNW - Saw nothing
Latter part squally and ruzed Lat 33-11 153 1/2

Tues^{day} Aug 7 Strong wind West stood to the South - saw nothing
Latter part stood down the Oil - and set up sails
Shooko - Lat - 32-20 - 153 1/2

Wed^{nesday} Aug 8 Strong wind NW and NNE - stood to the Eastward
Latter part Light wind and calm Saw the
John and Lyra at a distance Lat 31-48 -
153 1/2

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- Thurs^d Calm and cloudy repair^d the foretop sail and
 Aug 9 bent it again - Saw nothing like whales -
 and the Season is going by and we done but little
 yet - Lord help us - it seems there is little chance
 for us to fill this Season - Latter part Steard off
 25 N E - Saw the Syra and John to work among
 whales Steard for them - the Syra got a Large
 whale - we chas^d the Shoal Lat 32-18 - 154 -
- Fryd Strong wind west - at 4 PM draw^d up with
 Aug 10 the whales and lower^d 2 boats but could not
 catch them - Spoke the John - Light wind W -
 stood to the Northward - Latter part stood to the
 South - Saw Nothing like whales Lat 32-06
- Sat^d Light wind at West - and smoky saw no whale
 Aug 11 stood to the South Latter part stood to the
 North Saw no whales Lat 31-40 - Lunar 152
- Sunday Light wind W - stood to the North
 Aug 12 Latter part - brisk wind at North - stood to
 the East - at 11 A.M saw whales and chas^d -
 26 hard - No Obs - Long - 152-20
- Mon^d Strong wind at 4 PM Struck a large
 Aug 13 whale and he sounded took the line and
 went off - at night took up boats and -
 coild a new line - hove to - Latter part
 saw whales and chas^d but could not catch them
 27 took up the boats again No Obs - Lunar 153
- Tues^d Moderate wind N E - saw a lone whale and
 Aug 14 killed him and cut him in at sunset finished
 stood to the N E - trying Latter part Light wind
 28 and clear saw a lone Whale far off to the N - Steard
 for him but could not come up with him
 Lat 153

Off Japan

Wedn^y Calm and flatting at 2 lower and chas^d the
Aug 15 Lone whale till 5 PM could not catch him
29 employ^d trying - Latter part finnis^d trying
and cooper^d some of the oil Lat-32-29 153

Thurs^d Light wind WNW and calm saw nothing
Aug 16 Latter part stow^d down the Oil in the fore hold
Lat 33- Long-153

Fryday Light wind West - stood to the South - saw Nothing
Aug 17 Latter part - saw severall large whales and chas^d
30 far but could not catch them Lat 32-26- 153

Sat^y Light airs and calm saw no whales - set up some
Aug 18 Shooks - Latter part - Light wind NE - stood
to the South Lat 32-13 - 153

Sun^y Saw a dead whale and run for him at 3
Aug 19 took him along side and cut his head off
and body in employ^d trying - by by the head
Latter part cut in the head and finnis^d trying
31 Spoke the Fortune Swain 1200 - saw a small whale
dead and spoilt, stood to the South Lat 31-59 152 1/2

Mon^y Light wind and calm saw Nothing - Latter
20 part Calm and very warm Lat 31-25- 152 1/2

Tues^d Calm and showers of rain Latter part stow^d
A 21 down the between decks - saw and spoke the John
Lat 31-20 - 152

Wedn^y Light wind NE - stood to the East
Aug 22 Latter part - saw Nothing like whales

Thurs^d Light wind NW spoke the Britton Pock by
Au 23 1500 - Latter part - calm saw nothing
Lat 32-10 - 153

Fry^d Calm and a high swell from the NE -
Aug 24 Latter part - light wind NW stood to the SE -
Lat 31-50 - 153

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Sat.^d Light wind and Calm Saw Nothing —
Aug 25 Latter part strong wind SW- Stood to the SE-
Spoke the John Lat-32-16 — Long-153-

Sunday Strong wind SW- Steard SE- Spoke the —
Aug 26 Britton Packley — at night hove to —
Latter part Squally and rain No Bls
Long-153½

Mon^d Strong wind NNW died some St 2 reef
Aug 27 topsails — Latter part Steard ENE-
Lat 31-34 — Long-155-

Tues^d Strong wind NNW and Squally — 4 PM saw —
Aug 28 a lone whale and killed him took him to
32 ship — and by by — Latter part Calm and a
high swell cut in the whale and employ-
trying — Lat-31-37 — 155 —

Wedⁿ Calm and light wind NE- at night stood to
Aug 29 the N- Latter part ~~fine~~ Employed trying —
Lat-31-48 — 155 —

Thurs^d Light wind SE- Saw a lone whale and —
Aug 30 killed him at night took him along side —
32 finished trying — Latter part Cut in —
Lat 32- 155

Frid^y Strong gale NNW and ruzed employ-trying —
Aug 31 Stood to the West — Latter part — finished —
Stow^d some of cat oil — Lat- L 154½

Off Japan

Sat. Squally wind N E - Cooper and lash up the oil on
Sep 1 deck. Squally and rain. Latter part - Finnish^h Stood
Lat - 32° 26' - Long - 154½ -

Sun -
Sep 2 Strong wind N E - and E N E - Stood to the S E -
at night Stood to the North - Latter part wind
S E - and Squally. Stood to the SSW - Lat 32° 24' -

Mon
Sep 3 Strong wind S E Stood to the N E - Saw Nothing
Latter part set up some Shooks - ruzed -
Lat - 32-40 - 155 -

Tues
Sep 4 Light wind South and a high swell -
Latter part - wind S E - Stood to the East at 10
34 Saw whales far to the windward - at Mid -
put off and Stuck - No Obs - 155 -

Wedn
Sep 5 Light wind SW at 2 PM took the whale to the
Ship and cut head off and body in at night by
trying. Latter part - cut in the head - Calm

Thurs.
Sep 6 Calm and very hot - employ. trying
Latter part Finnish^h trying Saw a lone
whale and gave battle - No Obs -

Fry
Sep 7 Squally wind N E - Killed the whale and at
2 PM took him to the Ship and cut head off
35 and body in by the head trying
Latter part cut in the head Squally and ruzed -
Lat - 31½ - Long - 156 -

Sat.
Sep 8 Strong wind E N E - and Squally Stood to the North -
trying Latter part Finnish^h trying and Stood
the cold oil down in Main hatchway - Squally and
ruzed - No Obs - Saw Nothing

Sun
Sep 9 Squally wind N E - Latter part Finnish^h Stood
Stood to the North - Lat - 32-50 - 158 -

Ship Maria 1827

Mon^d Moderate wind SE - stood to the SW -
Sep 10 Latter part saw whales and killed a large one
and cable? him chas. more but could not
36 strike - No Obs. Lat $32\frac{1}{2}$ - 156

Tues. Brisk wind SE - at 2 PM hook? on and cut
Sep 11 head off and body in - employ trying
37 Latter part cut in the head and chas. more
whales but could not strike others - 156

Wedn. Light wind SE - Chas. more whales but
Sep 12 could not strike employ trying - Latter
part saw many whales killed 2 large whales
38 and lost one took the other along side and
Clear. for cutting - No Obs. -

Thurs. Strong wind South and SW cut the head off
Sep 13 and body in - squally and raged - at 2 AM
hard gales from NNE - and stormy cut away
from the head - and lash up the oil on deck
and wore ship to the NW - Lat - 33-26 - 156

Friday Strong gales N.E. and a sharp sea on employ
Sep 14 trying - Latter part wind dying fast - but a
high sea firmish trying - and stow. some
of the cold oil - No Obs. - - - 155-40

Sat. Light wind South - employ stowing
Sep 15 stood to the East - at 2 AM strong wind SW
hove to and stow. down the oil and lash up
Br. 18p No Obs. - 156
Water 10 p 5 ft

Strong gales and stormy took in the waife boat
Sun^d Latter part wind died and shifted at NNE -
Sep 16 stood to the East - set the foresail much rain
No Obs. - 156 $\frac{1}{2}$

off Japan.

Mon Light wind N.E. and much rain. thick weather
Sep 17 Latter part wind South - saw whales and got the
39 boats ready, but it came on stormy and very
thick rain with hard gales SW - stood to the
hove to No Obs - Long - 157

Tues Strong gales SW - and ruzed - Latter part
Sep 18 wind died and shifted in at North - got the
boats ready and set up some shooks - Lat 32-30
Long - 157

Wedn Small wind at North - and clear saw a shoal
Sep 19 of small whales and struck but drew. and came
40 on board the boats - Calm Latter ^{part} light wind
SSW - stood to the SE - saw nothing Lat 31-34 - 158

Thurs Brisk wind SSW steard to the NE - at night hove
Sep 20 too head to West - Latter part wind NNW -
and ruzed stood to the NE - Lat 31-47 - 158 1/2

Frid Strong wind North - at 4 PM saw a toner whale
Sep 21 and run for him - he went down and when he
41 rose so high night we did not lower -
Latter part wind NE stood to the NNW - Lat 31 -

Sat Light wind E.N.E. - stood to the North Latter part
Sep 22 thick and hazy saw nothing Lat 31-27 - 158

Sun Light wind East - stood to the North - saw no
Sep 23 whales Latter part - Light wind NW -
steard NNE - Lat 31-20 - 156

Mon Light wind NW - spoke the Bri Mon
Sep 24 Latter part stood to the NNE - Lat - 32
Lunar - 156 30

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Tues Strong wind WSW - Saw whales and struck
 Sep 25 Stove the waist boat badly took her aboard
 the whales went off Shifted the stoven
 42 boat - Latter part - Saw whales and killed
 one took him to the ship Strong wind WSW
 and clear No Obs - 156

Wedn Strong wind WSW and raged cut in the
 Sep 26 whale and began trying - stood to the NW
 at Midnight a hard Squall with rain and
 wind shifted in to NE - stood to the ESE
 trying raged Lat - 32-12 - 156 1/2

Thurs Strong wind NE - and raged empty -
 Sep 27 trying Latter part finish - and lashing
 the oil Strong gales SE - and South - and dark the
 stormy looking weather - No Obs - 156 1/2

Fryday Hard gales SE - and South took in the waist
 Sep 28 boat and lashed up for a storm - rain and dark
 weather, by by head to the East - Close reefed topsails
 and storm staysail - At 2 AM wind shifted to NW
 and died Latter part Steard ENE - Stowed down
 the oil - Lat 31-16 - Long - 157 -

Sat Light wind SE - and calm with a high
 Sep 29 sea on Latter part Strong wind SW then
 NE - Lat - 31-57 - Long - 159 - Lunar 159

Sund Strong gales SW Saw a ship steering to NE
 Sep 30 at 4 PM hove too - Latter part wind NE
 and rain No Obs - Long 160

Off Japan

- Mon. Strong wind NNE - Stood to the East - Saw
Oc 1 Nothing - Latter part - Stood to the N by W
Set up some Shooks - Lat 32-04 - Long 159
- Tues Strong wind ENE - and ruzed saw Nothing
Oc 2 Latter part saw whales bound quick to the SW
43 Chas. but could no catch them - No Obs - 159 1/2
- Wedn Strong wind SE - Steard NNE by E -
Oc 3 Latter part wind WSW - and hazy Steard
ENE - Lat 33-12 - Long 160 1/2
- Thurs Small wind WSW - at night hove too -
Oc 4 Latter part - Steard E by N - Saw No whales
Lat - 33-39 - - 162
- Friday Brisk wind WSW and hazy Steard E by N
Oc 5 Latter part squally wind SSW - and ruzed
Lat 33-42 - 164 1/2 E
- Sat Strong wind SW and ruzed Steard E by N -
Oc 6 Latter part - wind WSW - and WNW Lat 33-28
Long 167 1/2
- Sunday Strong wind WNW Steard E by N Latter part
Oc 7 Light wind NW and NNW with a high sea
Lat 33-24 Long 170 East
- Mon Light wind NNE - and a high swell -
Oc 8 Latter part wind SE - Stood to the South - ruzed -
Lat - 32-29 - 170 1/2 E -
- Tues Strong wind SE - at 2 P.M. Stood to ENE
Oc 9 Latter part wind South and SW - Steard E by N
Lat 32-28 - 172 E
- Wedn Strong wind SW and a high sea on - Steard E by N
Oc 10 Latter part saw whales and chas. but did not strike -
44 No Obs - Lunar 175-10 East

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- Thurs Moderate wind NW- at 2.30 Saw whales
 Oc 11 and struck one sounded the line stuck again
 45 and killed him he sunk and parted the line
 Steard. Blyest. - Short Sail. Latter part - Saw a
 46 lone whale and killed him took him to the
 ship - Strong wind NNE and ENE -
 Lat - 32° 18' - Lunar 176 - E -
 saw Whals 4, 6 times during the season on the Coast of Japan 31
- Fryday Strong wind ENE - Cut the head of and body
 Oc 12 In - by by the head - Squally and Ruzed -
 Latter part - Ruzed and stormy - employ
 trying - and by the head - Lat - 31 - 35 -
 Long - 176 -
- Sat Strong wind SE - and South - at 4 PM Cut
 Oc 13 in the head - Squally and ruzed - wind SW -
 hard squalls of rain, and hard thunder from the
 SW at - 10 PM wind NW - and Ruzed - Latter
 part finish trying the body and put the jaw
 below - wind NNE - and blowing very hard -
 took in the waist boat and lashed up the oil on
 deck. No Obs - Long - 175½ East
- Sunday Strong gales NE - and high sea we lying by
 Oc 14 Very ruzed Ship labours hard - Latter part -
 Moderate some finish trying - and lashed
 up the oil on deck - Lat - 31 - 5 - Long 175
- Mon Hard gales ENE - and ruzed we lying
 Oc 15 by Latter part Sat the foresail cooper - some
 of the oil - Lat 31 - 35 - Lunar 174½
- Tues Strong wind East - we standing to the NW
 Oc 16 Latter part wind still a head Stow down the
 oil - thick and cloudy No Obs - 175 -

Towards the Sandwich Islands

Wedn Strong wind East - Steered by the wind to the
Oc 17 Latter part light wind S.E. - and fair weather
employ - mending the boat Lat 32-44 - 176 -

Thurs small wind and hazy Steered E by N -
Oc 18 Latter part wind SW and light Lat 32-38 - 177 E

Fryday Small wind SW Steered East - Saw Nothing -
Oc 19 Latter part wind West - Set Studdensail Steered E
Lat - 32-12 - Long - 179 - E

Sat - Strong wind WNW - at 2 PM wind NNE -
Oc 20 and fine rain, double reef - Steered by the wind
Latter part - wind NE and raged - Lat 31-15
Long - 179 1/2 W

Sunday Strong gales NE - Steered by the wind ESE -
Oc 21 Close reef - raged - Sharp sea on at 2 AM wind
ENE and blowing strong stood to the North - in
topsails Lat - 31-09 - Long - 178 1/2 W

Mon Strong wind East - and raged so close reef top
Oc 22 - sails - head winds all the time - Latter part
Light wind at East - Set all sail Lat 31-57 - 179 W

Tues Small wind ESE - and clear Steered by the wind
Oc 23 NE by N Latter part wind SE - employ about
the stoven boat - Lat 32-28 - Lunar 178 1/2 W

Wed Moderate wind SSE - Steered East - fair weather
Oc 24 Latter part Strong wind South Steered E by N
Lat 32 - Lunar - 175 - W

Thurs Strong wind SW and squally - Steered E by N -
Oc 25 Latter part Strong wind and clear Lat 31-48
Lunar 172-20

Fry Strong wind SW and WNW with squalls of rain -
Oc 26 Steered E by N - Latter part hard gales at N - have
to - raged and stormy Lat 31-20 Long 171 W

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Sat^d Strong gales at N- and a sharp sea - at 2 P.M.
Oc, 27 - Set the foresail, Steard Eby S, very rough, and
we ship much water - Latter part blowing
hard gales N.N.E - Steard by the wind Eby S
Maintopsail and foresail. Lat-30-14 - 168 1/2

Sunday Strong gales N.N.E - and rough - high sea
Oc 28 at 8 in foresail Latter part Wind decrease
Lat-30-37 - Lunar 169 W

Mon^d Light wind N.E. and a high sea
Oc 29 at 8 stood to the N by W Latter part light wind
and calm bent a new foresail and foretopmast
Lat-29-30 - 169 W -

Tuesday Light wind S.E. found the fore stay parted split
Oc 30 it and set him up again Steard E.N.E -
Latter part wind S.W. and heavy No Obs 167 1/2

Wedn^d Light wind S.W. and heavy Steard Eby N
Oc 31 Latter part strong wind and a high sea from
East, Lat-30-04 - Long-165 W -

Thurs^d Strong wind S.W. and squally - Steard Eby N
No, 1 Latter part - wind South and rough -
Lat-No Obs - Long 162 1/2 W

Friday Strong wind South Steard Eby N
Nov-2 at Midnight hard squalls and rough Latter
part wind N.W. and clear Steard East
Lat-30-04 Long-161

Sat^d Light wind N.W. and a high sea from E.S.E.
Nov 3 Latter Light wind N by E and calm
Lat-29-18 - Long 160 W

Boat to the Sandwich Islands

Sund Light airs NW E- and calm with a high sea
 Nov-4 from ESE- Latter part light wind ESE
 Lat-29-3 - 159½

Mon Strong wind SE and South Steard ESE-
 Nov 5 2 reefed the topsails- Stormy- Latter part
 Squally and ruzed Lat-28-22 - 158

Tues Strong gales South- and ruzed Steard by the
 No 6 wind ES- Close reefed topsails Latter part-
 Stormy and ruzed- Lat-27-55 - 157-20

Wed Strong gales South- Steard by the wind ESE
 Nov 7 Latter part still blowing Strong at South-
 Lat-27-22 - 156-20 W

Thurs Strong wind S by W- and ruzed- Steard by the
 Nov 8 wind ESE- Latter part wind small but
 dont shift- Lat 26-54 - Long- 155-20

Fryday Moderate wind South Steard by the wind
 No 9 ESE- Latter part wind SSE- Stead to the
 SW- head wind all the time Lat 26-30 - 153

Satt Moderate wind SSE and clear- found the
 Nov 10 trusseltrees on the foremast- Sprung
 Latter part light wind SE- and ESE-
 Lat-25-53 - Lunar 153½

Sund Moderate wind ESE- Steard South-
 Nov 11 Latter part strong wind and ruzed
 Lat 24-28 - Long P Lunar 154½

Mon Strong wind ESE- Steard South- Latter part
 Nov 12 Steard SSW Lat-22-14 Lunar 155-28

Tues Strong wind. E by S- Steard SSW- halled up the
 No 13 Chain and bent it Saw No land at Night
 at 9 halled to head off- at 2 AM Steard SW by W-
 at daylight Saw Nowee SW 10 leagues Steard W by S
 bent the hump Cable- Set all sail-

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Wed Strong trades and flying clouds Steard West
Nov. 14 for Waahoo at 6 PM Morotoe point SSW 4 leagues
Waahoo West 10 leagues - hove too head to the Nly
Squally.

Wedn Strong trades and Cloudy hove short
Dec 26 and Call the pilot - got all ready for
going out - the Daniel and Elizabeth
Sailed -

Thurs Strong trades and hazy at 1/2 past Mnd -
Dec 27 weigh, and sail. Steard out S by E - stowd
the Anchor and Cables - hard gales N E
at 10 took in all to Close reef M topsail
and foresail - Latter part - set fore and
Mizzen topsails - very ruged Lat, 20-27
Long - 157 -

Fryday Strong gales and Cloudy - Steard SSE -
Dec 28 Latter part Squally and very ruged wind
ESE - Steard by the wind Lat 18-50 - 157 1/2

Sat Strong gales and Stormy Steard by the wind
Dec 29 Close reefed topsails Latter part - Strong gales
and Cloudy dark weather, No Obs - Long 158 -

Sunday Strong gales and Cloudy Steard by the wind -
Dec 30 S by E - Latter part wind ESE and hard rain
Stormy weather - Lat - 16-34 Long - 158 1/2

From the Sandwich Islands bound home

Mon Calm and a high sea and dark rainy —
Dec 31 weather — Latter part wind SE Steard by the
wind ENE — Nobbs — Long — 158 W —

Tues Strong wind SE and ESE, and spit rain —
¹⁸²⁸ Jan 1 Latter part stood to the S by W Squally and
rugged — Lat — 16° 44 — Long — 158 $\frac{1}{2}$ —

Wedn Strong wind SE by E — and squally — Steard
Jan 2 by the wind to the S by W — Latter part wind
SE and rugged — Lat — 15-36 — Long — 159 —

Thurs Strong wind SE by S and flattery at times
Jan 3 Steard by the wind SW by S — Latter part
light wind SE — Sat all the sails — and took
sharp for whales — Saw none Lat 14° 48 — 160 —

Frid Small wind SSE — and SE — Steard by the
Jan 4 wind SSW — and S by W — Latter part — light
wind East — Lat — 13° 11 — Long — 160 —

Sat Small wind East — and a high sea Steard
Jan 5 by the wind SSE — Latter part Strong
wind ENE — Steard SE — Lat 11° 52 Long 159

Sun Strong wind ENE — Steard by the wind
Jan 6 SE — Latter part light wind ENE — and
fair weather Saw Nothing — Lat — 10° 22 — 158

Mon Small wind ENE Steard SE — Latter part
Jan 7 Light wind and clear Saw Nothing like
Whales — Lat 8-22 — Long — 157 $\frac{1}{2}$ Lunar
saw whales 122 times during the
whole voyage

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Tues^d Jan 8 Light wind N E - Steard S E - by compass
Latter part Light wind E N E - and E -
Lat - 6° 31' N - Long - 155-30

Wedn^d Jan 9 Light wind N E - and East - Steard by the
wind S by S. Latter part squally and
ruzed wind E by S - Lat - 4° 58' Lunar 155-50

Thurs^d Jan 10 Strong wind East - and ruzed Steard by the
wind S E double reef topwails Latter part
Ruzed and Sharp Sea Lat 3° 17' N 155-50

Fryday Jan 11 Strong wind E by S - Steard by the wind -
S by E Latter part hazy Lat 1° 53' N 156

Sat Jan 12 Strong wind E by S - Steard by the wind -
S E. Latter part moderated some
Lat - 1° 17' N - Lunar 156 -

Sund Jan 13 Strong wind East - Steard by the wind S E
Latter part Strong wind E N E - Steard S E
Lat - 1° 37' S Lunar 155-1/2

Mon^d Jan 14 Strong wind E N E - and ruzed Steard by the
wind S E Latter part Strong trades and ruze
Lat - 3° 19' S Long - 154-40

Tues^d Jan 15 Strong wind E N E - and ruzed Steard S E
Latter part wind E N E - Steard S E Lat 5-30
Long 153-40 -

Off the Society Islands homeward bound

- Wed Jan 16 Strong trades and ruzed steard SSE - at 6 PM
Light wind and clear Latter part wind NE -
and light - Lat-7.23N - Long-153-20 -
- Thur Jan 17 Small wind NE - and very warm - steard SSE
Latter part wind N by W and cloudy set all
Sail - Lat-9.14 - Long-152-56 -
- Fry Jan 18 Brisk wind N by W steard SSE - thick and
dark weather - Latter part squally and
rain unsteady weather, steard S by E -
Lat 11-17 - Long-152-30 -
- Sat Jan 19 Squally and unsteady weather wind from
NNW to West - and thunder - much rain
took in all to close reef M topsail and foremast
Saw Nothing of Flints Island - at 4 PM in the
Lat of it - steard South - Latter part light
wind N by E - Sat all sail Lat-12-30 - 152-40 -
- Sun Jan 20 Small wind NE - and thick at 2 Calm
at 4 Light airs East - and hazy with a swell
from the NW - Latter part strong trades E by S
steard by the wind S by E Lat-14.11 - Lunar 153.8
- Mon Jan 21 Strong trades E by S - steard by the wind E by S
2 reef the topsails - Latter part very squally
Lat-15-39 - Lunar - 152-38 -
- Tues Jan 22 Strong trades and ruzed steard by the wind
S by E - Latter part wind died same -
Lat 17-6 - Long-152-45 -
- Wed Jan 23 Moderate wind SE - steard by the wind SSW
Latter part - high sea from the South -
Lat-18-33 - Long-153-10 -

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Thurs. Strong wind SE - and ESE - with a high
Jan 24 Sea from the South - Steered by the wind
to the S by W - Latter part thick and rain
No Obs. Lat 20-10 - Long - 153 $\frac{1}{2}$

Friday
Jan 25 Strong wind SE - and E by S with much rain
Steered by the wind South - two reefed topsails
Latter part Cloudy but moderate and
Smooth - Lat - 21-45 - Long - 155 -

Sat
Jan 26 Saw Maria's Low Island - bearing W by S
15 - miles - Steered off the west part and
Sent in 2 boats and caught some fish -
at 5 P.M. took up the boats - Steered by the
wind to the SW by S Cloudy and thick weather
Latter part - rain and stormy wind S E -
No Obs. - Lat - 22-50 - Long 155 $\frac{1}{2}$

Sunday
Jan 27 Strong wind SE and much rain stormy -
Latter part - Strong gales and cloudy -
Close reefed the topsails Lat 24-11 - 156-10

Mon
Jan 28 Strong gales S.E. and rugged stormy weather
Latter part wind blowing hard and cloudy
parted the Topmast spring stay knotted it -
and set it up again bent the Main staysail
Lat 25-20 157

Tues.
Jan 29 Strong gales at SE - and stormy steered by the
wind South. Latter part set the topsails
Lat - 26-38 - 157

Homeward Bound

Wed Strong wind East - Steard by the wind SSE
Jan 30 Latter part - Steard SE by S - Lat - 28-14 156-40

Thurs Strong wind ENE - and clear Steard SE by S -
Jan 31 Latter part - wind NE - and hazy
Lat - 30-28 - Long - 155-50

Fryday Strong wind NE - Steard SE by S - a high sea
Feb 1 from the South - Latter part - wind NE and
North - thick and cloudy Lat - 32-49 - 154-50

Sat^d Moderate wind at N by W Steard SE - thick -
Feb 2 and rain at midnight wind SSE - and rain
stood to the East - Lat 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ N 0^ls - 153- $\frac{1}{2}$

Sund Brisk wind SE - and rain. stood to the ENE -
Feb 3 Latter part Strong gales South and ruzed -
Lat - 33-29 - Long - 152-20

Mon Strong gales S by W and ruzed at 6 PM hove
Feb 4 too with M topsail and stay sails - Latter part
wind died and shifted to the NW by W - set 2 reef
topsails - Steard SE - Lat - 33-52 - 151-10

Tues Strong gales NW by W - Steard SE a high swell
Feb 5 from the SSW and very ruzed - Latter part wind
died some Steard SE by E - Lat 35-50 - 148-

Wedn Small wind NW - Steard SE - set all sail
Feb 6 she rolls badly Latter part - wind South and
SE, down fore & Miz top gall Mast - and in fly jib
boom, Lat - 37-28 - Long - 145-20

Thurs Strong gales SE - and squally took in all M topsail
Feb 7 and foresail Latter part still blowing hard SE -

Lat 36-49 - 144-30

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Friday Feb 8 Strong gales S.E. and a high sea we lying by-head to the E.N.E. - Latter part set the foresail thick and cloudy Lat - 36-50 - Long - 143-50

Sat Feb 9 Strong wind S.E. and cloudy at 4 P.M. stood to the S.S.W. Latter part stood to the N.E. - Light wind S.E. - Lat - 36-15 - Long - 143-4

Sund Feb 10 Light wind S.E. - Shifted the Maintop sail - Latter part - Moderate wind S.E. - right ahead Lat - 35-50 - Long - 142

Mon Feb 11 Moderate wind S.E. - Steered by the wind E.N.E. - Latter part ditto mended the Mizzen topsail - and bent it again Lat 35-18 - Long - 141-2

Tues Feb 12 Brisk wind S.E. - Steered by the wind E.N.E. - Latter part - Repaird the Maintop sail - Stood to the S.S.W. Lat - 34-44 - Long - 140-20

Wedn Feb 13 Brisk wind S.E. - Steered by the wind S.S.W. - Latter part wind light and smooth - Lat - 35-50 - Long - 141

Thurs Feb 14 Light wind E.S.E. Steered by the wind S. - Latter part Light wind N.E. - and calm Lat - 37-17 - Long 140-50

Friday Feb 15 Light wind N by E. and calm - Steered S.E. - Latter part Light wind N.W. - set all the sails, Lat - 37-58 - Long - 140-30

West of Cape Horn bound home

Sat^o Light wind NW - Steard SE - at 6 Steard
Feb 16 SE by E - Latter part strong wind NW
and Cloudy she goes - fast - Lat - 39-50
Long 138-20

Sund Strong wind NW and spit rain Steard SE by E
Feb 17 Latter part - Strong gales at NW and rain
Steard SE - Lat - 40-50 - Long - 135-10

Mon Strong gales NW and rain Steard ESE
Feb 18 Latter part wind South and died Clear
Lat 42-1 Long 132-25

Tues
Feb 19 Brisk wind at South Steard by the wind ESE
Latter part Squally wind S & SSW
Lat - 42-50 - Long - 130

Wedn
Feb 20 Squally and unsteady weather - Steard ESE
at night Calm Latter part wind SSW and
very light - Lat - 43-18 - Long - 129 -

Thurs
Feb 21 Light wind SSW and a high swell from the
South, Latter part calm Lat - 43-34 - 128 1/2

Fryd
Feb 22 Calm at 4 PM light airs SSE - Stead to the E
Latter part - wind South and SSE - Lat - 43-43
Long - 126 -

Sat
Feb 23 Strong wind SSE - at 6 PM stormy took in to
2 of topsails at 8 wind SE Latter part wind
died Calm and a high sea Lat - 43-30 - 125 1/2

Sund Calm and Cloudy Latter part - a high sea
Feb 24 from the SE - No Obs - Long - 126

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Mon Strong ESE - and stormy took in all to M.T.
 Feb. 25 sail and foresail stood to the South - rain and
 thick weather. Latter part wind died some
 stood to the NE - Lat - 44° 12 Long 126-25

Tues Strong wind ESE - and raged wind dying fast
 Feb 26 but a high sea from the ESE - Latter part
 calm and cloudy Lat - 44° 00 Long - 126-10

Wedn Light airs SE - and calm, Latter part ditto
 Feb. 27 and unsteady - No Obs - Long - 125 -

Thurs Light wind SE and cloudy spit rain - head wind
 Feb 28 all the time, Latter part wind NE - and cloudy
 Steard ESE Lat 43° 50 - Long - 123-50

Fryday Light wind NE - and NNE - at 6 P.M strong
 Feb 29 wind and cloudy with a high swell from SE
 Latter part - rain and blowing strong NE
 took in to M topsail and foresail - Steard
 ESE - fog and rain No Obs - Long, 120-40

Sat Hard gales NNE - at 2 wind died sudden
 M. 1 high sea on and rain - set 2 reef topsails
 Latter part strong wind NW - Steard ESE -
 thick fog and rain No Obs - Lat - 47 - Long 117

Sun Strong wind NW. at 2 P.M wind shifted South
 M. 2 and blow strong, in all to M. Topsail and foresail
 Steard E by S at 6 P.M Steard E by N, Latter
 part Moderated set all sail Steard E by S -
 wind SW Lat, 47-25 - Long, 113

West of Cape Horn bound home

- Mon^d Strong gales SW - Steard E by S - at 2 in MTSail
Mar, 3 thick and ruzed - She goes fast, Latter part wind
Bread West - with a high swell from the S. Lat-47-33
Long-108-40
- Tues^d
M. 4 Strong wind W by E - and a high sea on from the
South Steard ESE - Latter part - wind NW - and
blowing hard Steard E by S. Lat-48-44 104-10
- Wedn^d Strong gales WNW - and W by S - Steard E by S -
M. 5 Squally and ruzed, Latter part Squally and ruzed
Lat-49-43. Long-100-W
- Thur^d Strong gales West - and squally at 4 PM took
M 6 in to close reef MTSail and foresail Steard E by S
hard gales and high sea she goes fast - Latter
part squalls of hail - and blows hard - Lat-50-30
Long-95-20
- Fry^d Strong gales and squally Steard East - at 4 Steard
M. 7 E by S - at 12 Midnight hard squalls with hail
at 6 wind SSW and blows very heavy hove to head
to the WNW - Lat-50-49 - Long-91-30
- Sat^d Strong gales SW - we by by till 5 PM Sat M -
Ma 8 TSail and reefed foresail Steard E by S - high sea
on and squally with rain Latter part Moderates
some and clear off Lat-51-54 - Lunar 93-20
- Sun^d Strong gales SW and cloudy set 2 reefed topsails
Ma 9 Steard E by S, Latter part - found one of the Main
Chains Broke at 8 hove to and lash it with Iron
hook and set up the Shroud at 10 Steard E by S
Lat 53-30 - Lunar 89-50
- Mon^d
M. 10 Wind WSW and dicing fast, set sail accordingly
Latter part - wind WNW Steard East - broke the
Larboard Studdensail boom - thick and fog - No Obs -
Lat 54-05 Long 86 27

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Tuesday Brisk wind W by N Steard East - got up a new boom
Mar, 11 and set topmast Studdensail - thick and fog all night
Hour Latter part - flights of fog - all sail on -

Lat - 54° 58 - Long - 82° 40

Wedn^d Brisk wind WNW - Steard East - all sail on -
Mar 12 She go^s fast. Latter part hard gales and storming
in all to close reef M.T. sail and forevail
Steard East by Compass - No Obs - Lat - 56-40 -
Long 76° 56 -

Thurs^d Heavy gales WNW and rain with a sharp sea
Mar 13 on Steard East by Compass - at 6 wind died sudden
and rain, Latter part. wind NW and NE -
Steard E by N - No Obs. Lat 56° 46 - Long 73-10

Fryday Strong NE - and rain stood to the SSE - at 6 PM
M. 14 2 reef the topsails, at 8 in all to M.T. sail
and staysails - at 12 wind died and hard rain
at 2 AM strong gales NW and WNW -
at 6 Very heavy gales split the F.T. mast -
staysail in Main topsail by by with No
Sail wind Blowing very heavy and storming
No Obs. Lat - 57-20 - Long - 71-15

Sat
M 15 Heavy gales West - and high sea, at 2 PM
Shift a heavy over the Stearn - did some
damage to the boats and the ship makes
much water, set reef forevail and Steard
E by E. set close reef topsails wind dying
fast but a high sea on ship Labors hard -
Latter part - wind WSW and SW Steard NE - all sail
on Clear and flying clouds Lat. 57-20 - Long 67° 50

Off Cape Horn Bound Home

- Sun Brisk wind SW and squally Stead NE
- Mar 16 Latter part - hard gales SW and stormy in all to M. T. sail and foresail Stead NE - wind blowing strong heavy and high sea we ship much water Lat 56-00 Long 62-50
- Mon Stead gales SSW and squally Stead NE by N
- Mar 17 at 4 wind died some set foretop sail. - Latter part - cloudy and riced - Stead NE by E Lat 54-34 Long 58-20
- Tues Strong gales South - and a high sea from SE
- Mar 18 Stead NE by N - Latter part - wind died set all sail - Lat 52-45 Long 54-30
- Wedn Light wind SE - Stead NE by N - all sail on
- M-19 Latter part - Light wind SSW - and cloudy - No Obs. Lat 51-35 - Long 52-10
- Thurs Moderate wind SW - and WSW - Stead NE $\frac{1}{2}$ E
- M 20 thick and fog - Latter part - Strong wind SW and squally the gas fast - Lat 49-20 - Lunar 48-50
- Friday Strong wind S by W - and flying clouds - Stead
- Mar 21 NE - and NE by N - Latter part wind SE - and cloudy Stead NE - Lat 47-33 - Long 47-20
- Sat Strong wind SE - and riced at 2 PM double reef
- M-22 the topsails - Stead NE - stormy weather in the night wind very unsteady from SE - to WSW and squally Latter part Strong gales SW and squalls of hail, with a high sea Lat 45-34 - Long 45-30
- Sunday Strong gales SW and squally Stead NE $\frac{1}{2}$ E
- M-23 Latter part - wind WNW and died some Lat 43-23 - Lunar 43

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Mon^d Moderate wind WNW and calm - at 6 black
 Mar 24 and thunder in the SW close reefed the topsails
 Latter part - wind from E to NW and much
 rain - unsteady weather - Lat - 42° 58' - Long 42°

Tues^d Strong wind NW and WNW at 2 in foresail
 Mar 25 down M^t G^y in M^t Topwail and by by with storm
 staysails head N by E - blowing very heavy -
 Split the main stayvail took in the F. T. M. staysails
 Latter part - wind WNW and died some - Stove in
 the bulworks the Starboard Side - at 6 AM steard
 N E by N with close reefed topsails - very stormy
 and we ship much water - Lat - 42° 12' - Long 41½°

Wedn^d Hard gales WNW and sharp sea steard NE
 M 26 at 4 PM thick and rain stormy weather -
 Latter part wind NW - and ruzed sea on -
 Steard N E by N - and NE - Lat - 40-41 - (38-40)

Thurs^d Strong gales NW - and very ruzed Steard NE
 M 27 Close reefed topsails ship much water and labor
 hard - and go slow - at 8 in foresail and by by -
 blowing hard and stormy Latter part wind
 WSW - and died some but a very high sea Steard
 N E by N - set the foresail, Lat 39-45 Long 37-00

Friday Strong wind WSW and dying set 2 reefed topsails
 M 28 Steard N E by N - Latter part set all sail
 a very high swell from the SW - Lat - 38 -
 Long - 35-20

Sat Moderate wind West - Steard N by E 8 -
 M 29 Latter part light wind WSW Lat 36-15
 Long 34-20

Off the Coast of Brazil bound home

Sund
No 30 Light wind West - Steard N by E $\frac{1}{2}$ E - all the
sails on Latter part wind NW and N by W and
very light - Lat - $35^{\circ}01$ - Long - $33^{\circ}40$

Mon
No 31 Light wind NNE - and a high swell from the
Latter part wind East to NW and rain took in
to M Tail and fore sail No Obs - $34^{\circ}40$ - 33 -

Tues
Apr 1 Strong wind NNW and stormy - Steard by the wind
to the NE - at 6 heavy gales hove too. head N by E
Latter part squally and blowing very heavy -
in M Top sail No Obs - $34^{\circ}20$ - Long - $32^{\circ}10$ -

Wedn
Apr 2 Hard gales and squally set the M Tail again
at 1 PM wind shifted and blowd very hard from
the SW - at 4 PM wind died some Steard of N by E
Made sail accordingly - Clear off wind WNW
and NW Latter part Strong wind NW - Steard
by the wind Lat - $32^{\circ}50$ - Long - $31^{\circ}20$

Thurs
Apr 3 Strong WNW wind and clear at 6 PM squally
wind West - and unsteady - Steard N by E -
Latter part - wind south and moderate -
Lat - $30^{\circ}30$ - Long - $30^{\circ}29$

Friday
Apr 4 Moderate wind SSE - and SE - Steard N by E
all sail on - Latter part got up Fore and
Mizzen top gallant sails and fly jib - out -
wind East - Lat - $28^{\circ}17$ - Long - $30^{\circ}00$

Sat
Apr 5 Moderate wind E by N Steard by the wind
N by E - Latter part calm and very warm -
Employ about the Rigging Lat - $26^{\circ}47$
Lunar - $33^{\circ}14$

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Sunday Calm and clear at 4 light wind ESE Stead

Apr 6 NE by N - Latter part wind East - Saw a
Bark ship steering to the South, Lat 25-13
Sunar - 32-34

Mon^d Squally wind unsteady from E. to NE -
Apr 7 Stood to the E - at 3 PM Stood to the N - at 1 PM
Stood to the ESE - Squally and unsteady we
Lat - 24-20 - Sunar 32-

Tues^d Squally wind from NNW - to NE Steadly
Apr 8 The wind to the East and ESE - Latter part
Light wind at N - Lashed anew the broken
Chain - and put up the M Royal mast -
Lat - 24-25 - Sunar 31-

Wedn^d Light wind at N - Steard by the wind ESE -
Apr 9 Latter part hald up the kemp cable and
dry. it and put it down again Saw a Brig
to the SE - wind NNW - Lat 23-44 - 30-34

Thurs^d Brisk wind NNW Steard by the wind N
Apr 10 Latter part - wind NW - and squally -
Lat - 22-14 - Long 29-50

Fryday Brisk wind NW by N - Steard by the wind
Apr 11 NE by N - Squally Latter part wind N
and very Light Lat - 21-16 - Long 28-40

Sat^d Light wind NNW and NW - Steard by the
Apr 12 wind NE - Latter part Calm and a high
swell from the SW - mended the forevail
Lat - 20-32 - Long - 28-20

Bound home

Sun Calm and light airs NNE Steard N - Saw nothing
Apr 13 Latter part wind NNE - Saw a ship steaming
to the SW - Lat - 20° 03 - Long - 28-30

Mon Light wind NNE - at 4 wind N and calm
Apr 14 stood to the NNE Latter part - wind NNW
Lat 19° 32 - 28-00

Tues
Apr 15 Light wind NW - at 6 PM took a squall
from the WSW Steard N - double reefed the top
-sails - at 8 Squall blowed over and calm at
Midnight Strong wind SSW Latter part strong
wind South - Steard N by W Lat - 17-47 - 28-30

Wedn Strong wind South and high sea Steard N by W
Apr 16 Saw a sail steaming NNE - Latter part brisk
wind SSE - Steard N by W $\frac{1}{2}$ W - all sail on
Lat - 15-39 - 29-20

Thur
Apr 17 Brisk wind SSE - and SE - Steard NNW -
Squally and unsteady wind Latter part wind
light at SE - Lat 13° 53 - Lunar - 28 $\frac{1}{2}$

Friday Light wind SE Steard NNW - Saw a sail
Apr 18 Steaming to the NNE - Latter part squally
and unsteady wind Saw a ship steaming SW
No Obs - Lat 12 - Long - 31 -

Sat
Apr 19 Light wind ESE - Steard NNW - Latter
part wind light and squally Lat - 11-00
Lunar - 31-35

Sun Light wind ESE - to NE and squally with
Apr 20 rain, Steard NNW - Latter wind very light
and clear Lat - 9° 41 - Lunar 32-20

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Mon
Apr 21 Light wind ESE Steard NNW - all sail
on - but go slow - Latter part - Saw a sail
to the East - at Mid - spoke Brig Maria
Capt Palmer. 47 days from Philadelphia
bound to Parnambuco - Lat - 8-30 - 33-20

Tues
Apr 22 Light wind ESE - Steard NNW - all the sails
on - Latter part Steard off WNW - at 9 AM
Saw the Land 10 leagues - Steard NbyW -
Lat - 6-50 - Long - 35

Wedn
Apr 23 Light SE - and ESE - Steard N $\frac{1}{2}$ E -
Latter part Steard NbyW and NNW no land
in sight - employ. taring the standing rigging
Lat - 4-30 - Long - 35-10

Thurs
Apr 24 Light wind SE and ESE - Steard NNW - very
racy Latter part very warm Lat - 3-05
Long - 36-10

Fryday
Apr 25 Light wind SE - and Squally with rain
Steard NbyW - Latter part wind NE and
Squally Saw a ship to the Northward we
Come up with him some - Lat - 1-08 S -
Long - 37

Sat
Apr 26 Brisk wind NE Steard by the wind NNW
the ship NE Steard by the wind - Latter
Part - Light wind NE - Lat - 16 N - Long - 38

Crossing the Line Bound home

- Sun^o Light wind N E and squally spoke the
Apr 27 Hannibell Green from Coast of Brazil
bound to Sag Harbour - Latter part much
rain and squally Lat - 1-17-N - Long 40-20
- Mon
Apr 28 Strong wind N E by N - and hazy the Hannible
in company Steard by the wind - N W by N -
Latter part strong trades and ruzed Lat 2-19-N
Long - 41-25
- Tues
Apr 29 Strong trades and hazy Steard by the wind N W by N
Latter part strong wind N E - and ruzed 2
recept the topsail the Hannibel out of sight to
the S E - Lat - 4-03-N - Long - 43-05
- Wedn
Apr 30 Strong gales N E - and ruzed Steard by the wind
N W by N a sharp sea on - Latter part - ditto
Saw the Hannibel astern - Lat - 5-40 -
Long - 45 -
- Thurs
May 1 Strong trades N E by N Steard N W 1/2 N -
Latter part moderated some - set whole
topsails - - Lat - 7-40 - Long - 47-20
- Fryd
May 2 Strong trades N E by N Steard N W 1/2 N - the
Hannible to the S E - 15 miles - Latter
part - Moderate and clear Lat - 9-20 - 49
- Sat^o
May 3 Moderate trades and fair weather Steard N W 1/2 N
Latter part wind light - and clear Lat 11-07 50 1/2
- Sun^o
May 4 Light wind and very warm all sail on Steard
N W by N - Latter part Light wind and very
warm Lat - 12-33 - Long - 52 -

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Mon^d Light wind East - and flying clouds
May, 5 Steard NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N - Latter part employ painting
Lat - 14° 20 - Long - 53 -

Tues^d Brisk wind N by E - Steard NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N -
May 6 employ painting Latter part hazy
No Obs - Lat 16° 10 - Lunar 54 $\frac{1}{2}$

Wedn^d Moderate wind E by E - and hazy - Steard
May 7 NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N - Latter part wind very light -
Lat 18-06 - Lunar 56 $\frac{1}{2}$

Thurs^d Light wind East - and hazy Steard NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N -
May 8 Latter part wind very light Lat - 19-11 - 57 $\frac{1}{2}$

Friday Light airs ESE - Saw a Brig steering to the
May 9 NE - Latter part employ painting -
Lat 20-05 - Long - 58-20

Satt^d Light wind ESE and hazy Steard NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N -
May 10 Latter part rain Lat 20-56 - Long - 59 -

Sunday Light wind SE - Saw 3 Sail - Steard NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N -
May 11 Latter part - thick and hazy Steard NW -
Lat 22-11 Long 60-20

Mon^d Light wind SE - and cloudy spit rain -
May 12 Saw severall Sail, at 10 took a hard squall from
the NE - with much rain Latter part wind
NE and SE - Steard NW $\frac{1}{2}$ N - Lat 23- 61-20

Homeward bound

Tues
May 13 Light wind SE - and SW with flights of rain
and flattery - Latter part calm employed
mending sails and painting Lat 23-30-61-50

Wedn
May 14 Light airs SW and calm - Latter part calm
and a high swell from the NE - Lat 23-30-62

Thurs
May 15 Light airs NE - and N by E - Steard by the wind
to the NW - Latter part Calm - Saw a Brig and
sent a boat on board Algerene Otis 14 days from
Baltimore for St Thomas got a supply of provisions
Lat-23-58--63-20

Fry
May 16 Calm and a high swell from NE -
Latter part still Calm No Obs

Sat
May 17 Calm calm calm - Latter part light
airs N - Lat 24-13 - Long-62½

Sun
May 18 Light wind N stood to the WNW - Saw a ship
steering to the WNW - we call it the Hanibal
Latter part light wind NNE Lat 24-56-64

Mon
May 19 Light wind NNE - Steard by the wind NW
Latter part wind SE - Steard NWN - Lat 25-50
Long 64-40

Tues
May 20 Light wind SE - and hazy Steard NWN -
Latter part - wind SSE - and cloudy No Obs
Lat 26-40 Lunar 65½

Wed
May 21 Light airs SW and hazy Steard NWN - Latter
part - Squally with Lightning and Thunder -
Light wind SE - Lat 27-50 - Long-66

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Thurs^d Light wind SSB - Steard NNV all the sails on
May 22 Latter part wind South and hazy -
Lat 29° 13 Long 66° 40

Friday Moderate wind S by W - and spit rain Steard
May 23 NNV all sail on, at 6 hard rain and squall
in light sails and reefed the topwails wind
WSW - Latter part set all sail Lat 31° 11 -
Long 67° 35

Sat.^d Light wind West - and smoky Steard NNV
May 24 Latter part thick and rain wind South WSW
Saw a Brig Stearing to the NNV - and passed a ship
with English Collars Stearing to the East -
Lat 32° 20 - Long 68° 05

Sunday
May 25 Squally wind from SSW to west and much
rain - Steard NNV - at Midnight wind
NW - Latter part wind N - stood to the NNV -
Saw several sail, Lat 33° 39 - Long 68° 17

Mon^d Light wind N - and calm, at 7 PM light
May 26 airs at South, saw a ship show^d American Colors
Stearing to the NW by N - Latter part strong
gales WSW - and Clear Steard NNV Lat 35° 19
Long 69° 12

Tues^d Strong gales WSW - and sharp sea double reef
May 27 the topsails - down Royal yds - at 4 PM in Jyl
and mainwail very rized - sharp sea - at night
in topsails and run on with close reefed M.T.S.
and foresail very rized Latter part wind NW
and died some set single reefed topwails -
Lat 37° 04 Long 69° 40

Coast of America Bound home

Wedn^e Strong wind NW - at 4 PM took in to Close
May 28 reef M. T. sail and forevail - strong gales
and stormy - at 10 PM took in the forevail -
Latter part - set the forevail again wind died some
stood to the WSW - set close reef top sails - Lat- 34-15
Long- 69-41

Thurs^d Strong wind NW and unsteady set M. sail and Jyl-
May 29 saw severall - sail and every body has a fair wind
but us, Latter part calm try the Current found
1 knot SSW - Lat- 36-50 - Long- 70-00

Fryday Light airs at W stood to the NNW - at 4 PM wind
May 30 WSW - and SW - Steard NW by N - at 10 strong wind
and heavy saw a ship steaving with us - Latter part
strong gales and rain close reef the top sails -
it appears much like the Current -

Lat- 38-48 - Long 71-15
Sat^e Strong gales WSW and west - Steard N by W - wind
May 31 dying fast - and a high sea on - saw pieces
of Rock weed and Drift - Latter part - spoke Schooner
Oswego from Baltimore for Halifax sounded 48 fath
Green Ore - Steard North - thick and fog - bent the
Cables - tore down the try works No Obs - 44 fath
Ooze and mud

29
Sun^e Light airs and fog at 4 Cleard off - spoke a schooner
June 1 fishing - he told us Block Island NNW 12 leagues

Calm 1860

March 11th bracked a pipe brace

To Thomas Jefferson Randolph.

My dear Jefferson

Your situation at such a distance from us, and alone, cannot but give us all great anxiety for you; As much has been secured for you by your particular position, and the acquaintance to which you have been recommended - as could be done, towards shielding you from the dangers which surround you. But thrown on a wide world, among entire strangers without a friend or guardian to advise you - So young too, and so little experience of mankind your dangers are great, and still your safety must rest on yourself - A determination never to do what is wrong. Prudence, and good humor, will go far towards securing to you the estimation of the world; When I recollect that at fourteen years of age the whole care and direction of myself was thrown on my self entirely, without a relation or friend qualified to advise or guide me; and recollect the various sorts of bad company with which I associated from time to time - I am astonished that I did not turn off with some of them, and become as worthless to Society as they are. I had the good fortune to become acquainted very early, with some characters of very high standing and to feel the incessant wish that I could ever become what they were

under temptations and difficulties, I would ask
my self what would Dr. Small, Mr. Wythe, Peyton
Randolph do in this situation, What course in it
will insure me their approbation, I am certain
this mode ~~will~~ of deciding my Conduct, tends
more to its correction than any reasoning powers
I possess. Knowing the even and dignified line they
pursued, I could never doubt for a moment which
of two courses would be in Character for them.
Whereas, seeking the same object through a process
of moral reasoning and with the jaundiced eye of
youth, I should often have erred. From the circumstance
of my position I was often thrown into the society
of racers Card players foxhunters. Scientific and
professional men and dignified men and many
a time have I asked myself in the enthusiastic
moment of the death of the fox the victory of a favorite
horse, the issue of a question elegantly argued at the
bar, or in the great council of the nation - well which
of these kinds of reputation should I prefer. That of
horse jockey, a foxhunter, an orator, or an honest
advocate of my country, right. Be assured my dear
Jefferson that these little returns to our selves,
this self catechising habit, is not trifling, nor useless
but leads to the prudent selection and steady pursuit
of what is right.

I have mentioned good humor as one of the preservative
of our peace and tranquility, it is among the most effect-
tual, and its effects is so well imitated and aided
artificially by politeness that this also becomes an
acquisition of first rate value, In truth, politeness is
artificial good humor, it covers the natural want of it
and ~~ends~~ by rendering habitual a substitute nearly
equivalent to the real virtue, It is the practice of sacrific-
ing to those we meet in society all the little conveniences
and preferences which will gratify them.

and deprive us of nothing worth a moment's —
consideration, it is the giving a pleasure and —
flattering ^{turn} to our expressions, which will conciliate
others and make them plead with us as well as
themselves, how cheap a price for the goodwill
of another — When this is in return for a rude thing
said by another, it brings him to his senses —
it notifies his error and corrects him in the most
salutary way and places him at the feet of
your good nature in the eyes of the company —
But in stating prudential rules for our Government
in Society I must not omit the Important one of
never entering into dispute or Argument with
another, I never yet saw an instance of one of
two disputants convincing the other by argument
I have seen many of them get warm become
rude and shooting one another, Conviction is the
effect of our own dispassionate reasoning, either
in Solitude or weighing within ourselves —
dispassionately, what we hear from others — standing
uncommitted in argument, ourselves, it was
one of the rules which above all others made
Doctor Franklin the most Aimable of men in
Society — Never to contradict any body ~~in~~ if he
was to announce an opinion he did it rather by
asking questions, as if for information —
or by suggesting doubts — When I hear another
express an opinion which is not mine, I say
to myself he has a right to his opinion as I to mine
why should I question it, His error does me no
Injury and shall I become a Don Quixotte to bring
all my forces of argument to one opinion!
If he wants information he will ask it, and then
I will give it in Measure. terms but if he
still believe his own story, and shows a desire
to dispute the fact with me, I hear him and
say nothing, it is his affair not mine if he
perfers error —

Avoid taverns, drinkers, smokers, idlers, and dissipated
persons generally, for it is such with whom Broils
and contentions arise, and you will find your path
more easy and tranquil. It is time for me to close
with my affectionate adieu.

Th^y Jefferson

NDR

Nantucket June 11, 1884

Come, Goody, stop your hum-drum wheel
Sweep up your orts, and git your hat;
Old joys revived once more I feel
Tis Fair Day -- ay, and more than that

Have you forgot, Kate prithee say
How many seasons here we've tarry'd
Fifty forty years this very day
Since you and I, ô to girl, were married

Look out -- the Sun shines warm and bright
The stiles are low, the parths all dry
I know you out your corns last night
Come, be as free from care as I.

For I'm resolv'd once more to see
That place where we so often met,
Tho' few have had more cares than we
We've none just now to make us fret
Kate scorn to damp the generous flame
That warm'd her aged partner's breast
Yet, ere determination came
She thus some trifling doubts express'd

Night will come on, when seated snug
And you've perhaps begun some tale
Can you then leave your dear stone mug
Leave all the folks, and all the ale

Ay Kate I wool -- because I know
Tho' time has been we both could run
Such Days are gone and over now
I only mean to see the Sun

The traight Sipt of the Wall and Baid
And laid aside Luck and Twitches
And to the Clutch she reach'd her hand
And gave him out his Sunday breaches
His mattock he behing the door
And hedging gloves again replaced
And look'd across the yellow Moor
And urg'd his tottering Spouse to haste
The day was up, the air serene
The firmament without a cloud
The bee humm'd over the level green
Where Kats of trembling cowslips bow'd
And Richard thus heart with clate
As past things rush'd across his mind
Over his shoulder talk'd to Kate
Who snug tick'd up walk'd slow behind

When one a giggling mawther you
And I a red faced chubby boy
Sly tricks you play'd me not a few
For mischief was your greatest joy

Once passing by this very tree
A Goteh of milk I'd been to fill
You shoulder'd me then laugh'd to see
Me and my Goteh spin down the hill

'Tis true she said but here behold
And Marvel at the course of Time
Tho you and I are both grown old
This tree is only in its prime

Well, Goody don't standing preaching now
Folks don't preach Sermons at a Fair
We've rear'd ten Boys and girls know
And I'll be bound they'll all be there

Now friendly nods and smiles had they
From many a kind fair going face
And many a pinch Kate gave away
While Richard kept his usual pace

Richard and Kate

A length arrived amidst the throng,
Grand children bawling hemm'd the round
And dragg'd them by the skirts along
Where gingerbread bestrew'd the ground

And soon the aged couple spy'd
They lusty sons and daughters dear
When Richard thus exulting cry'd
Didn't I tell you they'd be here

The cordial greetings of the soul
Were visible in every face
Affection void of all controul
Govern'd with a resistless grace

'Twas good to see the honest strife
Which should contribute most to please
And hear the long-recounted life
Of infant trick and happy days

But now, as at some nobler places
Among the leaders, 'twas decreed
Time to begin the Dicky Races
More fam'd for laughter than for speed

Richard look'd on with wondrous glee
And prais'd the lad who chanc'd to win
Kate wasn't I such a one as he?
As like him, ay, as pin to pin

Full fifty years are pass'd away
Since I rode this same ground about
Lord! I was lively as the day
I won the high-lows out and out!

I'm sturly growing young again
I feel myself so kedge and plumb
From head to foot I've not a pain
Nay, hang me if I couldn't jump
Thus spoke the old in Richard's pate
A very little made him Mellow
But still he loved his faithful Kate
Wh. whispered thus, My good old fellow.

Remember what you promis'd me
And see, the sun is getting low
The children you an hour ago see
To talk a bit before we go

Like youthful lover most complying
He turn'd and chuck her by the chin
Then all across the green grass hieing
Right merry faces all akin

Their fairwell quiett beneath a tree
That droop'd its branchess from above
Awaked the pure felicity
That waits upon parental love

Kate view'd her blooming daughters round
And sons who shook her wither'd hand
Her features spoke what joy she found
But utterance had made a stand

The children toppled on the green
And bowl'd their fairings down the hill
Richard with pride beheld the scene
Nor could he for his life sit still

A father's uncheck'd feelings gave
A tenderness to all he said
My boys how proud I am to have
My name thus round the Country spread
Through all my days I've labour'd hard
And could of pains and losses tell
But this is Labour's great reward
To meet ye thus and see ye well

My good old partner when at home
Sometimes with wishes mingles tears
Goody says I let what will come
We've nothing for them but our prayers

May you be all as old as I
And see your sons to manhood grow
And many a time before you die
Be just as pleas'd as I am now

Then raising still mug and voice
And old man's weakness don't despise
I love you well my girls and boys
God Bless you all; so said his eyes
For as he spoke, a big round drop
Fell bounding on his ample sleeve
A witness which he could not stop
A witness which all hearts believe

Thou Fihal Piety: wert there
And round the ring benignly bright
Dwelt in the luscious half shed tear
And in the parting wood Good Night
With thankful hearts and strengthened love
The poor old Pair supremely blest
Saw the sun sink behind the grove
And gain'd once more their lowly rest

June

12 1834

Spring

O Come blest Spirit whatsoe'er thou art
Thou resting warmth that hoverst my heart
Sweet inmate hail! thou source of sterling joy
That poverty itself, cannot destroy
Be thou my muse and faithful still to me
Retrace the path of wild obscurity
No deeds of arms my humble lines rehearse
No Alpine wonders thunder through my verse
They rousing cataract, the snow topt hill
Inspiring awe till breath itself stands still
Nature's sublimer scenes ne'er charm'd mine eyes
Nor science led me through the boundless skies
From meaner objects far my raptures flow
O point these raptures! bid my bosom glow
And lead my soul to ecstasies of praise
For all the blessings of my infant days
Bear me through regions where gay fancy dwells
But mould to truth's fair form what memory tells

Spring

Live, trifling incidents and grace my Song
That to the humblest menial belongs
To him whose drudgery unheeded goes
His joys and cares or goes
Through joys unreckon'd as his cares of woe
And youthful minds have feelings of their own
Through joys and cares in every path are seen
Quick springing sorrows, transient as the dew
Delights from trifles, trifles ever new
Twas thus with Giles: meek fatherless and poor
Laborer his portion but he felt no more
No stripes no tyranny his steps pursu'd
His life was constant, cheerful servitude
~~Strange~~ to the world, he wore a bashful look
The fields his study, nature was his book
And, as ~~the~~ revolving Seasons chang'd the scene
From heat to cold - tempestuous to serene
Though every change still varied his employ
Yet each new duty brought its share of joy

Where noble Gratton spreads his rich domains
Round Euston water, d vale, and sloping ptains
Where woods and groves in solemn grandeur rise
Where the kite brooding unmolested flies
The woodcock and the painted pheasant race
And skulking foxes, destin'd for the chase
There Giles untaught and unrepining stray'd
Tho every copse and grove, and winding glade
There his first thoughts to nature's charms inclin'd
That stamps devotion to nature's enquiring mind
A little farm his generous master till'd
Who with peculiar grace his station fill'd
By deeds of hospitality endeared
Sere, d from affection from worth over, d

Spring

A happy offspring, for his plenteous board
His fields were fruitful, and his barns well stored
And fourscore ewes he fed, a sturdy team
And lowing kine that grazed beside the stream
Unceasing in industry a job for Giles to do
Fled now the sullen murmurs of the north
The splendored raiment of the Spring peeps
Her universal green and the clear sky
Delight still more and more the gazing
Wide over the fields in rising moisture strong
Shoots up the simple flower or creeps along—
The mellowed soil and imbedding hoes
Or sweets found frequent showers and evening dews
That summon from its shed the slumbering ploughs
While health impregnates every breeze that blows
No wheels support the pointed diving share
No groaning ox is doomed to labour there
No helpmates teach the docile steed his road
(Alike unknown the plow-boy and the goad)
But, assisted through each toilsome day
With smiling brow the plowman cleaves his way
Draws his fresh parallels, and widening still
Threads slow the heavy dale, or climbs the hill
Strong on the wing his busy followers ply
Where writhing earth worms meet the unwelcome day
Till all is changed and hill and level down
Assume a tivery of sober brown
Again disturbed when Giles with wearying strides
From ridge to ridge the ponderous harrow guides
His heels deep sinking every step he goes
Till dirt usurp the empire of his shoes
Welcome green headland! firm beneath his feet
Welcome the friendly banks refreshing seat
There, warm with toil his parting horses brows
Their sheltering canopy of pendent boughs

Spring

Till rest delicious chase each transient pain
And new born vigour swell in every vein
Hour after hour and day to day succeeds
Till every clod and deep drawn furrow spreads
To crumbling mould a level surface clear
And strewn with corn to crown the rising year
And over the whole Tiles once transverse again
In earth's moist bosom buries up the grain
The work is done; no more to man is given
The grateful Farmer trusts the rest to Heaven
Yet oft with anxious heart he looks around
And marks the first green blade that breaks the ground
In fancy sees his trembling oats uprun
His tufted barley yellow with the sun
Sees clouds propitious shed their timely store
And all his harvest gathered round his door
But still unsafe the big swollen grain below
A favorite morsel with the Rook and Crow
From field to field the flock increasing goes
To level crops most formidable foes
Their danger well the wary plunderers know
And place a watch on some conspicuous bough
Yet oft the skulking quinner by surprise
Will scatter death amongst them as they rise
These hung in triumph round the spacious field
At best will but a short-lived terror yield
Nor guards of property! (not penal law)
Familiarized to these, they boldly rove
But harmless riflemen of rags and straw
Nor heed such centinels that boldly rove
Let then your birds lie prostrate on the earth
In dying posture and with wings stretched forth
Shift them at eve or morn from place to place

Spring

And death shall terrify the pilfering race
In the mid air, while circling round and round
They call their lifeless comrades from the ground
With quickening wing and notes of loud alarm
Warn the whole flock to shun the impending harm
This task had Giles, in fields remote from home
Oft has he wished the rosy morn to come
Yet never famed was he nor foremost found
To break the seal of sleep, his sleep was sound
But when a day-break summoned from his bed
Light as the lark that caroled over his head
His sandy way deep-worn by hasty showers
Over ~~deadly~~ arched with oaks that formed fantastic bowers
Waving aloft their towering branches proud
In borrowed tinges from the eastern cloud
(Whence inspiration, pure as ever flowed)
And genuine transport in his bosom glowed
His own shrill matin joined the various notes
Of nature's music, from a thousand throats
The blackbird strove with emulation sweet
And echo answered from her close retreat
The sporting white throat on some twigs-end borne
Poured hymns to freedom and the rising morn
Stapt in her song, perchance, the starting thrush
Shook a white shower from the black-thorn bush
Where dew-drops thick as early blossoms hung
And trembled as the minstrel by his sweetly sung
Across his path, in either grove to hide
The timid rabbit scouted by his side
Or bold cock-pheasant startled along the road
Whose goots and purple tints alternate glowed
But groves no farther fenced the devious way,
A wide extended heath before him lay
Where on the grass the stagnate shore had run
And shone a mirror to the rising sun

Spring

Thus doubly seen lighting a distant wood
Giving new life to each expanding bud
Effacing quick the dewy foot marks found
Where prowling Reynard trod his nightly round
To shun whose thefts to suspend evening care
His feathered victims to suspend in air
High on the bough that nodded o'er his head
And thus each morn to strew the field with dead

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His simple errand done he homeward hies
Another instantly his place supplies
The clattering dairy maid immersed in steam
Singing and scrubbing midst her milk and cream
Bawls out "Go fetch the cows" he hears no more
For pigs, and ducks, and turkeys throng the door
And sitting hens, for constant war prepared.
A concert strange to that which late he heard
Straight to the meadow then he whistling goes
"With well-known halloo calls his lazy cows
Down the rich pasture heedlessly they graze
Or hear the summon with an idle gaze
For well they know the cow-yard yields no more
Its tempting fragrance nor its wintry store
Reluctance marks their steps sedate and slow
The right of conquest all the law they know
Subordinate they one by one succeed;
And one among them always takes the lead
Is ever foremost wheresoever they stray
Allowed precedence undisputed sway
With jealous pride her station is maintained
For many a broil that post of honor gained
At home the yard affords a grateful scene
For Spring makes even a miry cowyard clean

Spring

Thence from its chalky bed behold conveyed
The rich manure that drenching winter made
Which piled near home grows green with many a weed
A promised nutriment for Autumn's seed
Forth comes the Maid, and like the morning smiles
The Mistress too - and followed close by Giles
A friendly tripod forms their humble seat
With pails bright sauced and delicately sweet
Where shadowing elms obstruct the morning ray
Begins their work begins the simple lay
The full charged udder yields its willing streams
While Mary sings some lovers amorous dreams
And crouching Giles beneath a neighbouring tree
Tugs over his pail, and chants with equal glee
Whose hat with tattered brim of nap so bare
From the cows side purloins a coat of hair
A mottle ensign of his harmless trade
An unambitious peaceable cockade
As unambitious too that cheerful aid
The Mistress yields beside her rosy Maid
With joy she views her plentiful reeking store
And bears a brimmer to the dairy door
Her cows dismissed, the luscious meat to roam
Till ear again recall them loaded home
And now the Dairy claims her choicest care
And half her household find employment there
Slow rolls the churn its load of clogging cream
At once foregoes its quality and name
From knotty particles first floating cream
Gorgealing butters dashed from side to side
Streams of new milk thro' flowing coolers stray
And snow white cond abounds, and wholesome whey
Due north the unglazed windows cold and clear
For warming sunbeams are unwelcome here

Spring

Brist goes the work beneath each busy hand
And Giles must trudge whoever give command
A Gibeonite that serves them all by turns
He drains the pump from him the faggot burns
From him the noisy hogs demand theys food
While at his heels run many a chirping brood
Or down his path in expectation stand
With equal claims upon his strewing hand
Thru waster the morn till each with pleasure sees
The bustle over, and pressed the new made cheese

Unrivalled stands thy county Cheese O Giles
Whose very name alone engenders Smiles
Whose fame abroad by every tongue is spoke
The will-known butt of many a flinty joke
That pass like current coin the nation through
And, ah, experience proves the satire true
Provisions grave: thou Metropolis where Art
Dependant, huge Metropolis mart
Her packing thousands stows in breathles rooms
Midst poisonous smokes and steams and rattling looms
Where grandeur revels in unbounded stores
Restraint, a delighted stranger at their doors
Thou, like a whirlpool, drainest the countries round
Till London market London price resound
Through every town, round every passing load
And dairy produce throngs the eastern road
Delicious veal, and butter every hour
From Essex lowlands, and the banks of Stour
And from far, where numerous herds repose
From Crivell's brink, from Wiveny, or Buse

Spring

Hence Suffolk dairy-wives run mad for cream
And leave their milk with nothing but its name
Its name derision and reproach pursue
And strangers tell of three times skimmed sky blue
To chas converted what can be its boast
What but the common virtues of a post
If drought overtake it faster than the knife
Most fair it bids for stubborn length of life
And like the oaken shelf whereon length is laid
Mocks the weak efforts of the bending blade
Or in the hog-trough rests in perfect spite
Too big to swallow, and too hard to bite
Inglorious victory, Ye Cheshire meads
Or Severnes flowery dales where plenty treads
Was your rich milk to supple where plenty like these
Farewell your pride, farewell renowned Cheese -
The skimmer dread, whose ravages alone
Thus turn the meads sweet nectar into stone

Neglected now the early daisy lies
Nor those pale primrose blooms the only prize
Advancing Spring profusely spreads abroad
Flowers of all hues with sweetest fragrance stord
Where'er she treads, Love gladdens every plain
Delight on tiptoe bears her lucid train
Sweet Hope with conscious brow before her lies
Anticipating wealth from summer skies
All Nature feels her renovating sway
The sheep-fed pasture, and the meadow gay
And trees, and shrubs, no longer budding seen
Display the new-grown branch of lighter green
On airy downs the Shepherd idling lies
And sees to morrow in the marbled Skies
Here then my soul thy darling theme pursue
For every day was Thine a Shepherd too

Spring

Small was his charge: no wilds had they to roam
But bright enclosures circling round their home
Nor yellow-blossomed furze, nor stubborn thorn
The heath's rough produce, had their ~~flowers~~ torn
Yet ever roving ever seeking thee
Enchanting Spirit-dear Variety
O happy tenants, prisoners of a day
Released to ease, to pleasure and to play
Indulged through every field turns range
And taste them all in one continual change
For though luxuriant their grassy food
Sheep long confined but loathe the present good
Bleating around the homeward gate they meet
Loosed from the winding lane, a joyful throng
See o'er yon pasture how they pour along
High fences, proud to charm the gazing eye
Where many a nestling first essay to fly
Where blows the woodbine faintly streaked with red
And rests on every bough its tender head
Round the young ash its twining branches meet
O crown the hawthorn with its odours sweet
Say, ye, that know, ye who have felt and seen
Spring's morning smiles, and soul entwining green
Say, did you gave the thrilling transport way
Did your eye brighten, when young lambs at play
Leaped o'er your path with animated pride
Or gazed in merry clusters by your side
Ye who can smile to wisdom no disgrace
At the arch meaning of a kitten's face
It spotles innocence, and infant mirth
Excites to praise - or gives reflection birth
In shades like these pursue your favorite joy
Midst nature's revels, sports that never cloy

Spring

A few begin a short but vigorous race
And indolence abashed soon flies the place
Thus challenged forth see thither one by one
From every side assembling playmates run
A thousand wily antics mark their way
A starting crowd, impatient of delay
Like the fond dove from fearful prison freed
Each seems to say, Come, let us try our speed
Away they scour, impatient, ardent strong
The green turf trembling as they bound along
Adown the slope, then up the hillock climb
Where every molehill is a bed of thyme
There panting slope yet scarcely can refrain
A bird, a leaf, will set them off again;
Or if a gale with strength unusual blow
Scattering the wild-briar roses into snow
Their little limbs increasing efforts try,
Like the torn flower, the fair assemblage fly
Ah, fallen rose! sad emblem of their doom
Frail as thyself they perish while they bloom
Though unoffending they innocence plead
Though frantic cries may mourn the savage deed
Their Shepherd comes a messenger of blood
And drives them bleating from their sports and food
Care loads his brow, and pity wrings his heart.
For lo the murdering Butcher with cart
Demands the firstlings of his flock to die
And makes a sport of life and liberty
His gay companions Giles behold no more
Closed are their eyes their fleece drenched in gore
Nor can compassion with her softer notes
Withhold the knife that pierces through their throats
Down, indignation here Ideas foul
Away the shocking image from my soul
Away the Let kindly visitants attend my way
Beneath approaching Summer's fervid ray
For thankless glooms obtrude nor cares annoy
Whilst the sweet is Universal

Summer

The Farmer's life displays in every part
A moral lesson to the sensual heart
Though in the lap of plenty, thoughtful still
He looks beyond the present good or ill
Nor estimates alone one blessing's worth
From changeful seasons, or capricious earth
But views the future with the present hours
And looks for failures as he looks for showers
For casual as for certain want prepares
And round his ~~yard~~ the reeking hay stack rears
Or clover, blossomed loosely to the sight
His lean, rich store through many a wintry night
What tho. abundance round his dwelling spreads
Though ever moist his self improving meads
Supply his dairy with a copious flood
And seem to promise unexhausted food
That promise fails, when buried deep in snow
And vegetative juices cease to flow
For this, the seed minutely small he sows
Whence, sound and sweet the hardy turnip grows
But how unlike to April's closing days
High climbs the sun, and darts his powerful rays
Whitens the fresh-drawn mould and pierces through
The cumbrous clods that tumble round the plough
O'er heavens bright azure hence with joyful eyes
The farmer sees dark clouds assembling rise
Borne over his fields a heavy torrent falls
And strikes the earth in hasty driving squalls
"Right welcome down, ye precious drops," he cries
But soon, too soon, the partial blessing flies
"Bay bring thy harrows try how deep the rain

Summer

Has forced its way! He comes, but comes in rain
Dry dust beneath the bubbling surface lurks
And mocks his pains the more the more he works
Still midst huge clods he plunges on forlorn
That laugh his harrows and the shower to scorn
Even thus the living clod, the stubborn fool
Resist the stormy lectures of the school.

Till tried with gentler means the dunces please
His head imbibes right reason by degrees
As when from eve to mornings wakeful hours
Light constant rain evinces secret power
And ere the day resume its wonted smiles
Presents a cheerful easy task for Giles

Down with a touch the mellowed soil is laid
And yon tall crop next claims his timely aid
Thither well pleased he hies assured to find
Wild trackless haunts, and objects to his mind

Shot up from broad rank blades that droop below
The nodding wheat-ear forms a graceful bow
With milky kernels starting full weight down
Ere yet the Sun hath tinged its head with brown
Whiles thousands in a flock for ever gay

Loud chirping Sparrows welcome on the day
And from the mazes of the leafy thorn

Drop on by one upon the bending corn

Giles with a pole assails their close retreats

And round the grass-grown scumy border beats

On either side completely overspread

Here branches bend there corn overtops his head

Green covert hail for through the verging year

No hours so sweet no scene to him so dear

Here Wisdoms placid eye delight sees

His frequent intervals of lonely ease

And with one ray his infant Soul inspires

Just kindling there her never dying fires

Whence solitude derives peculiar charms

And heaven directed thought his bosom warms

Summer

Just where the parting boughs light shadows play
Nay in the shade nor in the scorching day
Stretch'd on the ~~short~~ turf he lies a peopled bed
Where swarming insects creep around his head
The small dust-colour'd beetle climbs with pain
Over the smooth plantain-leaf a spacious plain
Thence higher still by countless steps convey'd
He gains the summit of a shivering blade
And flirts his filmy wings and looks around
Exulting in his distance from the ground
The tender speckled moth here dancing seen
The vaulting grasshopper of glossy green
And all prolific Summers powers sustain
Their little fires by various powers train
But what can unassisted vision do
What, but recoil where most it would pursue
His patient gaze but finish with a sigh
When musing waking speaks the sky-lark nigh
Just starting from the corn she cheerly sings
And trusts with conscious pride her downy wings
Still louder breaths, and in the face of day
Mounts up and calls on Gales to mark her way
Close to his eyes his hat he instant bends
And forms a friendly telescope that lends
Just aid enough to dull the glaring light
And place the wandering bird before his sight
Yet oft beneath a cloud she sweeps along
Lost for a while yet pours her varied song
He views the spot and as the cloud moves by
Save when she wheels direct from shade to sky
The fluttering songstress a mere speck became
Like fancy's floating bubbles in a dream
He sees her yet but yielding to repose
Unwitting his faded eyelids close
Delicious sleep! From sleep who could forbear
With no more guilt than Gales and no more care

Summer

Peace over his slumbers waves her guardian wing
Nor conscience once disturbs him with a sting
He wakes refreshed from every trivial pain
And takes his pole and brushes round again
Its dark-green hue its sicklier tints all fail
And ripening harvest rustles in the gale
A glorious sight if glory dwell below
Where heaven's munificence makes all the show
O'er every field and golden prospect found
That glads the ploughman's Sunday mornings round
When on some eminence he takes his stand
To judge the smiling produce of the land
Here vanity slinks back her head to hide
What is there here to flatter human pride
The towering fabric or the domes loud roar
And steadfast columns may astonish more
Where the charmed gazer long delighted stays
Yet traced but to the Architect the praise
Whilst here the veriest clown that treads the sod
Without one scruple gives the praise to God
And twofold joys possess his raptured mind
From gratitude and admiration joined
Here midst the boldest triumphs of her worth
Nature herself invites the reapers forth
Dares the keen sickle from its twelve months rest
And gives that ardour which in every breast
From infancy to age alike appears
When the first sheaf its plummy top uprears
No rank takes here what Heaven to all bestows
Children of want for you the bounteous flows
And every cottage from the plenteous store
Receives a burden nightly at its door
Hark! Where the sweeping scyth now rips along
Each sturdy mower emulous and strong
Whose writhing form meridian heat defies
Bends over his work and every senev tries

Summer

Prostrates the waving treasure at his feet
But scarce the rising clover short and sweet
Come, Health, come Jollity; light footed come
Here hold your revels and make this your home
Each heart awaits and hails you as its own
Each moistened brow that scorns to wear a frown
The unpleopled dwelling mourns its tenants strayed
Even the domestic laughing dairy maid,
Flies to the field, the general toil to share
Meanwhile the Farmer quits his elbow chair
His cool brick-floor, his pitcher and his ease
And braves the sultry beams, and gladly sees
His gates thrown open, and his team abroad
The ready group attendant on his word
To turn the swarth the quivering load to rear
Or ply the busy rake, the land to clear
Summers light garb itself now cumbersome grown
Each his thin doublet in the shade throws down
Where oft the mastiff skulks with half-shut eye
And rouses at the stranger passing by
Whilst unrestrained the social converse flows
And every breast Loves powerful impulse knows
And rival wits with more than rustic grace
Confess the presence of a pretty face

Far, lo! encircled there, the lovely Maid
In youth's own bloom and native smiles arrayed
Her hat awry, divested of her gown
Her creaking stays of leather stout and brown
Invidious barriers! why art thou so high
When the slight covering of her neck slips by
There half-revealing to the eager sight
Her full, ripe bosom exquisitely white
In many a local tale of harmless mirth
And many a jest of momentary birth
She bears a part and as she stops to speak
Strokes back the ringlets from her glowing cheek

Summer

Now noon gone by and four declining hours
The weary limbs relax their boasted powers
Thirst rages strong the fainting spirits fail
And ask the sovereign cordial, home brewed ail
Beneath some sheltering heap of yellow corn
Rests the hooped keg and friendly cooling horn
That mocks alike the gobblets brittle frame
Its costlier potions, and its nobler name
To Mary first the brimming draught is given
By toil maid welcome as the dew of heaven
And never lips that pressed its homely edge
Had kinder blessings or a heartier pledge

Of wholesome viands here a banquet smiles
A common cheer for all even humble Giles
Who joys his trivial services to yield
Amidst the fragrance of the open field
Oft doomed in suffocating heat to bear
The cobwebbed barns impure and dusty air
To ride in murky state the panting steed
Destined aloft the unloaded grain to tread
Where in his path as heaps on heaps are thrown
He rears and plunges the loose mountain down
Laborious task! with what delight when done
Both horse and rider greet the unclouded sun

Yet by the unclouded sun are hourly bred
The bold assailant that surround thine head
Poor patient Ball! and with insulting wing
Roar in thine ears, and dart the piercing sting
In thy behalf the crest-waved boughs avail
More than thy short clift remnant of a tail
A moving mockery - a useless name
A living proof of cruelty and shame
Shame to the man whatever fame he bore
Who took from thee what man can never restore
Then swarming flies contending suck thy blood
Nor thine alone the suffering, thine the care
The fretful Eve bemoans an equal share

Summer

Tormented into save her head she hides
Or angry brushes from her new-shorn sides
Pinned in the yard, even now at closing day
Unruly Goats with marked impatience stay
And vainly striving to escape their foes
The pail kick down; a piteous current flows

Is't not enough that plagues like these molest!
Must still another foe annoy their rest?
He comes, the pest and terror of the yard
His full fledged progenies imperious guard
The Gander, spiteful, insolent and bold
At the colts footlock takes his daring hold
There, serpent like escapes a dreadful blow
And straight attacks a poor defenceless cow
Each booby goose the unworthy strife
And hails his prowess with redoubled noise
Then back he stalks of self-importance full
Seizes the shaggy foretop of the bull
Till whirled aloft he falls, a timely check
Enough to dislocate his worthless neck
For lo! of old he boasts and honoured wound
Behold that broken wing that trails the ground
Thus frogs and bravoed kindred pranks pursue
As savage quite, and oft as fatal too
Happy the man that foils an envious elf
Using the darts of spleen to serve himself
As when by turns the strolling swine engage
The utmost efforts of the bullock's rage
Whose nibbling warfare on the grunter's side
Is welcome pleasure to his bristly hide
Gentle he stoops, or stretched at ease along
Enjoys the insults of the gabbling throng
That march exulting round his fallen head
As human victors trample on their dead

Summer

Still Twilight, welcome! Best how sweet art thou
Now eve overhangs the western clouds thick brow
The farstretched curtain of retiring light,
With fiery treasures fraught: that on the sight
Flash from its bulging sides where darkness lours
In fancy's eye, a chain of mouldering towers
Or craggy coasts just rising into view
Midst javelins dire, and darts of streaming blue

Now tired labourers bless their sheltering home
When Midnight, and the frightful Tempest come
The Farmer wakes, and sees with silent dread
The angry shafts of Heaven gleam round his bed
The busting cloud reiterated roars,
Shakes his straw roof, and jars his bolted doors
The slow winged storm along the troubled skies
Spreads its dark course; the wind begins to rise
And full-blown elms, his swelling shade by day
With mimic thunder give its fury way
Sounds in his chimney top a doleful peal
Midst pouring rain, or gusts of rattling hail
With tenfold danger, to the tempest bends,
And quick and strong the sulphurous flame descended
The frightend mastiff from his kennel flies
And cringes at the door with piteous cries

Where nows the trifler? where the child of pride
These are the moments when the heart is tried
Nor lives the man with conscience ever so clear
But feels a solemn reverential fear
Feels too a joy relieve his aching breast
When the spent storm hath howled itself to rest
Still, welcome beats the long continued shower
And sleep protracted, comes with double power
Calm dreams of bliss bring on the morning sun
For every barn is filled and Harvest done

Summer

Now, ere sweet Summer bids its long adieu
And winds blow keen where late the blossom grew
The bustling day and jovial night must come
The long accustomed feast of Harvest home
No blood stain'd victory, in story bright
Can give the philosophic mind delight
No triumph please while rage and death destroy
Reflection sickens at the monstrous joy,
And where the joy, if rightly understood
Like cheerful praise for doubtful anguish knows
The soul nor check nor universal good
But free and pure the grateful current flows

Behold the sound oak tables massy frame
Beside the kitchen floor: the careful dame
And generous host invite their friends around
While all that clear, & the crop, or till'd the ground
Are guests by right of custom: old and young
And many a neighboring yeoman join the throng
With artisans that lent their dextrous aid
When over each field the flaming sun-beams play'd
Yet Plenty reigns, and from her boundless boundless
Though not one jelly trembles on the board,
Supplies the feast with all that sense can crave
With all that made our great forefathers brave
Ere the cloy'd palate countles flavours try'd
And cooks had Nature's judgment set aside
With thanks to Heaven, and tales of rustic lore
The mansion echoes when the banquet's over
A wider circle spreads, and smiles abound
As quick the frothing horn performs its round
Care, & mortal foe; that sprightly joys imparts
To cheer the frame and elevate their hearts
Here, fresh and brown the hazel's produce lies
In tempting heaps, and peals of laughter rise

Summer

And clackling music, with the frequent song
Unheeded boor. the midnight hour along

Here once a year Distinction lowers its crest
The master Servant and the merry guest
Are equal all, and round the happy ring
The reapers eyes exulting glasses fling
And, warmed with gratitude, he quits his place
With sun burnt hands and ale enlivened face
Refill the jug his honour'd host to tend
To serve at once the master and the friend
Proud thus to meet his smiles to share his tale
His nets, his conversation and his ale

Such were the days.. of days long past I sing
When Pride gave place to Mirth without a sting
Ere tyrant customs strength sufficient bore
To violate the feelings of the Poor
To leave them distanced in the maddening race
Wherever Refinement shows its hated face
Nor causeless hated... tis the Peasants curse
That how by makes in wretched station worse
Destroys life's intercourse, the social plan
That rank to rank cements as man to man
Wealth flows around him fashion lord reigns
Yet poverty is his and mental pains

Methinks I hear the mourner thus impart
The stifled murmurs of his wounded heart
Whence comes this change ungracious inhospitable cold
Whence the new grandeur that mine eyes behold
The widening distance which I daily see
Has Wealth done this; then wealth's a foe to me
Foe to our rights; that leaves a powerful few
The paths of emulation to pursue
For emulation stoops to us no more
The hope of humble ~~it~~ industry is over

Summer

The blameless hope the cheering sweet presage
Of future comforts for declining age
Can my sons share from this paternal hand
The profits with the labours of the land
No! the indulgent Heaven its blessing deigns
Where, the small farm to suit my scanty means
Content the Poet sings with us resides
In lonely cots like mine the darning hides
And will he then in raptured visions tell
That Sweet Content with Want can ever dwell
A barley loaf diminishing in lusty rounds
That fast, 'tis true my table crowns
Stops Nature's craving; yet her sighs will flow
From knowing this, — that once it was not so
Our annual feast, when Earth her plenty yields
When cloaked with boughs the last load quits the fields
The aspect still of ancient joy puts on
The aspect only with the substance gone
The self same Horn is still at our command
But serves none now but the plebeian hand
For home brewed Ale neglected and debas'd
Is quite discarded from the realms of State
Where unaffected Freedom charms the soul
The separate table and the costly bowl
Cool as the blast that checks the budding Spring
A mockery of gladness round them fling
For oft the Farmer ere his heart approves
Yields up the custom which he dearly loves
Refinement forces on him like a tide
Bold innovations down its current ride
That bear no peace beneath their showy dress
Nor add one tittle to his happiness
His guests selected; ranks punctilios known;
What trouble writes upon a casual frown
Restraints foul manacles his pleasures main

Summer

Selected guests selected phrases claim
Nor reines that joy when hand in hand the join
That good old Master felt in shaking mine
Heaven bless his memory: bless his honour'd name
(The poor will speak his lasting worthy fame)
To souls fair purpos'd strength and guidance give
In pity to us still let goodness live
Let labour have its due: my cot shall be
From chilling want and guilty murmurs free
Let labour have its due: then peace is mine
And never, never shall my heart repine!

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Autumn

Again, the year's decline midst storms and floods
The thundering chase the yellow fading woods
Invites my Song: that fair would boldly tell
Of upland coverts and the echoing dell
By turns resounding loud, at eve and morn
The swiſcherd's halloo, or the Huntsman's horn
No more the fields with scatter'd grain supply
The restless wand'ring tenants of the sty
From oak to oak they run with eager hast
And wrangling share the first delicious taste
Of fallen acorns, yet but thinly found
Till the strong gale have shook them to the ground
It comes; and roaring woods obedient wave
Their home well pleas'd the joint adventurers leave
The trudging Sow leads forth her numerous young
Playful and white and clean the briars among
Till briars and thorns increasing fence them round
Where last year's mould'ring leaves bestrew the ground
And over their heads loud lash'd by furious squalls
Bright from the cups the rattling treasure falls

Autumn

Hot thirsty food; whence doubly sweet and cool
The welcome margin of some rush-grown pool
The wild duck's lonely haunt, whose jealous eye
Guards every point; who sits prepared to fly
On the calm bosom of her little lake
Too closely screened ~~for~~ ruffian winds to shake
And as the bold intruders press around
At once she starts and rises with a bound
With bristles raised the sudden noise they hear
And ludicrously wild and winged with fear
The herd decamp with more than swinish speed
And snorting dash thro' sedge, and rush, and reed
Through tangling thickets headlong on they go
Then stop and listen for their fancied foe
The hindmost still the growing panic spreads
Repeated fright the first alarm succeeds
Till Folly's wages wounds and thorns they reap
Yet glorying in their fortunate escape
Their groundless terrors by degrees soon cease
And Night's dark reign restores their wonted peace
For now the gale subsides and from each bough
The roosting pheasant's short but frequent crow
Invites to rest, and huddling side by side
The herd in closest ambush seek to hide
Seek some warm slope with shaggy moss overspread
Dry'd leaves their copious covering and their bed
In vain may Fies through gathering glooms that call
And solemn silence, urge his piercing call
Whole days and nights they tarry midst their store
Nor quit the woods till oaks can yield no more
Beyond bleak Winter's rage beyond the Spring
That rolling Earth's unvarying course will bring
Who tills the ground, looks on with mental eye
And sees next Summer's sheaves and cloudy sky
And even now whilst Nature beauty's dies
Deposits seed, and bids new harvests rise;

Autumn

Seed well prepar'd grubs, and coul, and lapse of time
Gainst earth-bred grubs and cold and lapse of time
For searching frosts and various ills invade
Whilst wintry months depress the springing blade
The plough moves heavily, and strong the sail
And clogging harrows with augmented toil
Dive deep, and clinging mexes with the mould
A fatening treasure from the nightly fold
And all the cow-yards highly valued store
That late bestrew'd the blacken'd surface o'er
No idling hours are here when Fancy trims
Her dancing taper over outstretch'd limbs
And in her thousand thousand colours drest
Plays round the grassy couch of noontide rest
Here Giles, for hours of indolence atones
With strong exertion, and with weary bones
And knows no leisure till the distant chime
Of Sabbath bells he hears at sermon time
That down the brook sound sweetly in the gale
Or strike the rising hill or skim the dale

Nor his alone the sweets of ease to taste
Kind rest extends to all - save one poor beast
That true to time and pace is doom'd to plod
To bring the Pastor to the House of God
Mean structure; where no bones of heroes lie
The rude inelegance of poverty
Reigns here alone, else why that roof of straw
Those narrow windows with that frequent flaw
Over whose low cells the dock and mallow spread
And rampant nettles lift the spiry head
Whilst from the hollows of the tower on high
The grey cap'd Daws in saucy legions fly

Round these lone walls assembling neighbours meet
And tread departed friends beneath their feet
And new-briard graves that prompt the secret sigh
Shew each the spot where he himself must lie
Midst timely greetings village news goes round
Of crops late shorn, or crops that deck the ground
Experienced ploughmen in circle join
While sturdy boys, in feats of strength to shine
With pride clat, their young associates brave
To jump from hollow sounding grave to grave

Autumn

Then close consulting, each his talents lends
To plan fresh sports when tedious service ends
Hither at times with cheerfulness of soul
Sweet Village Maids from neighbouring hamlets stroll
That like the light-heel'd Doe over lawns that rove
Look shyly curious, rip'ning into love

For love's their errand: hence the tints that glow
On either cheek an heightened lustre know
When conscious of their charms even Age looks sly
And rapture beams from Youth's observant eye

The pride of such a party Nature's pride
Was lovely Poll who innocently try'd
With hat of airy shape and ribbons gay
Love to inspire and staid in Hymen's way

But mind's serenity was lost and gone
Her eye grew languid and she wept alone
But ere her twentieth Summer could expand
Or youth was render'd happy with her hand
yet causeless seem'd her grief for quick restrain'd

Mirth followed loud, or indignation reigns
Whims wild and simple led her from her home
The heath the common or the fields to roam
Terror and joy alternate rul'd her hours

Nor blithe she sung and gather'd useless flow'rs
Now pluck'd a tender twig from every bough
To whip the hovering demons from her brow

Ill-fated Maid! thy guiding spark is fled
And lasting wretchedness awaits thy bed
Thy bed of trays! for mark where even now
O'er their lost child afflicted parents bow

Their woe she knows not, but perversely coy
Inverted customs yield her sullen joy

Her midnight meals in secrecy she takes
Low muttering to the moon that rising breaks
Through nights dark gloom-- oh how much more forlorn
Her night that knows of no returning dawn
Slow from the threshold once her infant seat
O'er the cold earth she creeps to her retreat
quitting the cot's warm walls unhous'd to lie
Or share the swine's impure and narrow sty

Autumn

The damp night air her shivering limbs assails
In dreams she moans and fancied wrongs bewails
When morning wakes none earlier roused than she
When radiant drops fall glittering from the tree
But nought her rayless melancholy cheers
Or soothe her rayles or stops her streaming tears
Her matted locks unornamented flow
Clasping her knees and waving to and fro
Her head bowed down her faded cheek to hide
A piteous mourner by the pathway side
Some tufted molehill through the livelong day
She calls her throne, there weeps her life away
And oft the gaily passing stranger stays
His well-timed step and takes a silent gaze
Till sympathetic drops unbidden start
And pangs quick springing muster round his heart
And soft he treads with other gazers round
And fain would catch her sorrow's plaintive sound
One word alone is all that strikes the ear
One short pathetic simple word-- "Oh dear"
A thousand times repeated to the wind
That wafts the sigh, but leaves the pang behind
For ever of the proffered pabulum they
She hears the unwelcome foot advancing nigh
Nor quite unconscious of her wretched plight
Gives one sad look, and hurries out of sight
Fair promised sunbeams of terrestrial bliss
Health's gallant hopes-- and are ye sunk to this
For in life's road though thorns abundant grow
There still are joys poor Poll can never know
Joys which the gay companions of her prime
Sip as they drift along the stream of time
At eve to hear beside their tranquil home
The lifted latch that speaks the lover come
That love matures next playful on the knee
To press the velvet lip of infancy
To stay the tottering step the future trace
Inestimable sweets of social peace!
• O Thou, who bidst the vernal juices rise
Thou on whose blasts autumnal foliage flies
Let peace and sanity be mine to hold

Autumn

Shower of their flowers that shed the untreasured seed
The withering pasture and the fading mead
Less tempting grown diminish more and more
The dairy's pride; sweet Summers flowing store
New cares succeed, and gentle duties press
Where the fireside a school of tenderness
Revives the languid chirp and warms the blood
Of cold night weaklings of the latter brood
That from the shell just bursting into day
Through yard or pond pursue their venturous way
Far weightier cares and wider scenes expand
What devastation marks the new sown land
From hungry woodland, does go Fles, and gard
The rising wheat; ensure its great reward
A future sustenance a Summers pride
Demand thy vigilance then be it try'd
Exert thy voice, and wield thy shotless gun
To larry there from morn till setting sun

Heen blows the blast or ceaseless rain descends
The half stript hedge a sorry shelter lends
O for a Hovel, ever so small or low
Whose roof repelling winds and early snow
Might bring home's comforts fresh before his eyes
No sooner thought, than see the structure rise
In some sequestered nook, embark'd around
Lods for its walls, and straw in burdens bound
Dried fuel hoarded it his richest store
And circling smoke obscures his little door
Whence creeping forth to duty's call he yields
And strolls the Crusoe of the lonely fields
on Whitethorn towering and the fearless rose
A frost night feast in bright vermillion glows
Where clustering blustering slices in glossy rise
He crops the loaded branch a comberous prize
And over the flame the spulering fruits he rests
Placing green sods to seal his coming guests
His guests by promise playmates young and gay
But ah! fresh pastimes lure their steps away
He sweeps his hearth, and homeward looks in vain
Till feeling Disappointment's cruel pain

Autumn

His banquet marred grown dull his hermitage
The field becomes his prison till on high
Benighted birds to shades and coverts fly
Midst air health daylight can he prisoner be
If fields are prisons where is Liberty
Here still still she dwells and here her votaries stroll
But disappointed hope untunes the soul,
Restrains unfelt whilst hours of rapture flow
When troubles press to chains and barriers grow
Look then from trivial up to greater woes
From the poor bird boy with his roasted sloes
To where not cheering sun beam meets his eye
To where the dungeoned morner leaves the sigh
Though ineffectual pity thine may be
No wealth no power, to set the captive free
Though only no thy ravish'd sight is given
The golden path that Howard took to heaven
Thy flights can make the wretched more forlorn
And deeper drive affliction barbed thorn,
Say not I'll come and cheer thy gloomy cell
With news of dearest friends, how good how well
I'll be a joyful herald to thine heart;
Then fail and play the worthless trifler's part
To sip flat pleasures from thy glass brim
And waste the precious hour that's due to him
In mercy spare the base unmanly blow
Where can he turn to whom complain of you
Back to past joys in vain his thoughts may stray
Trace and retrace the beaten worn out way
The rankling injury will pierce his breast
And curses on thee break his midnight rest
Bereft of song and ever cheering green
The soft endearments of the Summer scene
New harmony pervades the solemn wood
Dear to the soul, and healthful to the blood
For bold exertion follows on the sound
Of distant sportsmen and the chiding hound
First heard from kennel bursting mad with bay

Autumn

Where smiling Custon boasts her good Fitzroy
Lord of pure alms, and gifts that wide extend
The farmers patron, and the poor man's friend
Whose mansion glitt'ring with the eastern ray
Whose elevated temple points the way
O'er slopes and lawns the parks extensive pride
To where the victims of the chase resides
Inguulf'd in earth, in conscious safety warm
Till lo! a plot portends their coming harm

In earliest hours of dark unhooded morn
Ere yet one rosy cloud bespeaks the dawn
Whilst far abroad the Fox pursues his prey
He's doom'd to risk the perils of the day
From his strong hold block'd out perhaps to bleed
Or owe his life to fate or to spide
Far now the pack impatient rushing on
Range through the darkest coverts one by one
Trace every spot; whilst down each noble glade
That guides the eye beneath a changeful shade
The loitering sportsman feels the instinctive flame
And checks his steed to mark the springing game
Midst intersecting cuts and winding ways
The huntsman cheers his dogs and anxious strays
Where every narrow riding even shorn
Gives back the echo of his mellow horn
Till fresh and lightsome, every power untried
The starting fugitive leaps by his side
His lifted finger to his ear he plies
And the View Holloo bid a charus rise
Over ditch over fence unconquerably bold
The shining courser lengthens every bound
And his strong foot locks suck the moisten ground
As from the confines of the wood they pour
And joyous villages partake the roar
Over heath far stretch'd or down or valley low
The stiff limb'd peasant glorying in the show

Autumn

Pursues in vain where youth itself soon lives
Spite of the transports that the chase inspires
Nor hear unmounted long can charm the eye
Or hear the music of the leading cry
Nor faithful Trougher, thou canst lead no more
All thy fatigues and all thy triumphs over
Triumphs of worth whose honorary fame
Beneath enormous oaks Britannias boast
In thick impenetrable coverts lost
When the warm pack in faultering silence stood
Thine was the note that roused the listening wood
Rekindling every joy with tenfold force
Throught all the mazes of the tainted course
Still foremost thou the dashing stream to cross
And sweet the showering dew drops from the grass
Then bright emerging from the mist below
To climb the woodland hills exulting brow
Pride of thy race! with worth far less than thine
Full many human leads daily shine
Less faith, less constancy, less generous zeal
Then no disgrace mine humble verse shall feel
Where not one lying line to riches bows
Or poisoned sentiment from rancour flows
Nor flowers are strewn around Ambitions carrion
Each sportsman heard the tidings with a sigh
When Deaths cold touch had stopt his tuneful cry
And though high deeds, and fair exalted praise
In memory lived and flowed in rustic lays
Short was the strain of monumental woe
"Foes rejoice! here buried lies your foe!"

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